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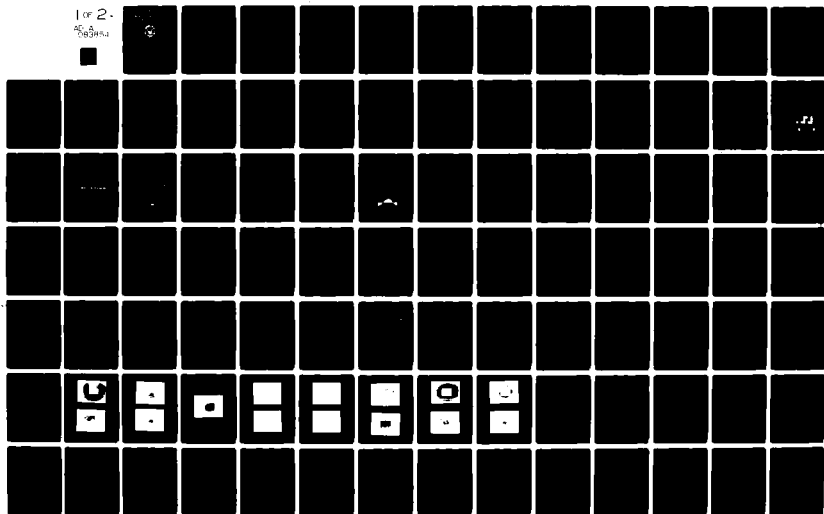
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## I INTRODUCTION

This thesis deals with the development of a 16-level color display computer program, for use in a computer aided acoustic imaging system. The basic imaging system consists of a data acquisition system [1], a computer program for converting the data and controlling the display hardware, and the hardware for displaying the output.

The hardware display portion utilizes a RAMTEK GX-100A color raster scan display device that is controlled by a PDP-11/50 digital computer. This allows for real-time computer controlled displays to be presented.

Reference [1] discusses in depth the specific methods used for data collection and will not be elaborated upon in this thesis.

Section II provides background information about acoustic imaging and the computer program will be discussed in Section III of this thesis. Actual program listings are given in Appendix D. The equipment utilized for the displaying of data will also be discussed in Section III of this thesis.

In order to confirm the system reliability a data set was read into the PDP-11/50 and was used as the development tape.

## II BACKGROUND

### A. ACOUSTICAL IMAGING [3]

By using coherent ultrasonic waves of sound instead of a beam of coherent light to "illuminate" an object one can create acoustical holograms that become three-dimensional pictures when illuminated by laser light.

In order to produce an acoustical hologram the scene is "illuminated" with a pure tone of sound. The objects disturb the sound waves and produce interference patterns. This procedure is discussed in detail in Ref. [2] The pattern can be recorded in various ways. Once recorded the acoustical hologram can be reconstructed with a laser beam exactly as if it were an optical hologram. Other techniques such as computer processing can also be used to reconstruct the objects.

The interaction of sound with solids and liquids is different than the interaction of electro-magnetic radiation. Sound can travel a considerable distance, through dense, homogenous matter and lose little energy and yet it will lose a significant amount of energy when it passes through an interface.

This loss is due to reflection at the interface, which is converse to the energy losses that occur in electro-magnetic radiation. Therefore sound can be significantly effective in medical diagnosis, in non-destructive testing and in seeing underwater and underground because it is mostly the discontinuities of the internal organs tumors, flaws, submerged objects or subterranean strata rather than the bulk matter, that is of interest to the observer.

Acoustical imaging is not new; there are sonar devices that produce pictures similar to those on a radar screen, and can be used for prospecting for oil and minerals. Similar scanning methods are also in use by physicians for the detection of brain tumors and for examining the unborn child. In the latter examples the sound is a frequency of between one and ten megahertz. Another technique employs an acoustical "camera". In this method sound waves bounced off an object once focused with an acoustical lens onto an image converter that translates the patterns of sound intensity into a pattern of visible light.

The limiting feature of both these conventional methods is that the images show only two dimensions. They are two-dimensional because the methods detect only the intensity (the square of the amplitude) of the sound waves in the sound images. What the conventional methods are unable to record is the phase information, that is, the arrival time

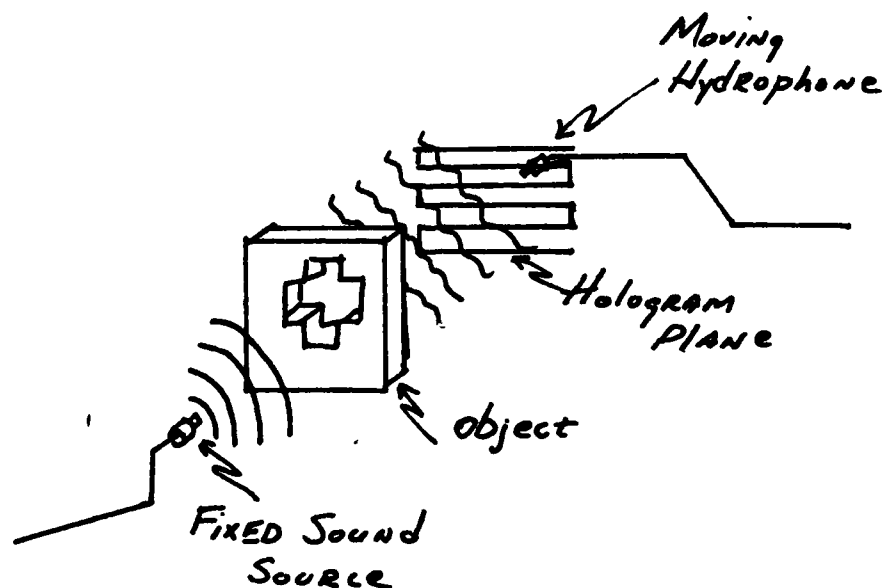
of the crest of the wave from the object with respect to the arrival time of the crest of a reference wave of the same frequency.

The most powerful feature of holography is that phase information as well as intensity information is retained in the hologram and can be subsequently "played back" in the optical image. Thus in acoustical holography there is a total transfer of information from the acoustical wave field to the visible optical wave field.

One type of acoustic holographic system which has been investigated is that which uses a scanning, detecting transducer moving through a raster pattern in the holographic plane. A typical system is illustrated in Fig. 1. The procedure involved was first described in an elementary form by Thurstone in 1966 [5]. Normally water is used as the medium for the acoustic propagation. A sound source is placed on one side of the object and a scanning hydrophone on the other. The use of a reference beam may be eliminated by means of electronic simulation. The acoustic object beam alone is detected and the detector output is added electronically to reference signal coming from the same signal generator that supplies power to the irradiating sound source. The resulting signal can then be processed to measure amplitude and phase which are subsequently recorded. In one version the signal is used to modulate the brightness of a small lamp

that travels through a raster pattern in synchronism with the scanning hydrophone. The lamp brightness as a function of position can be recorded on photographic film.

What has been described thus far is the most conventional of the point-by-point scanning systems. However it is possible to scan in many other ways. One example is suggested by the fact that reciprocity holds between the illuminating transmitter and the sensor. In this method, the point transmitter is scanned over the hologram aperture while the sensor remains fixed.



Point by Point Scanning System

Figure 1

Another example allows both the transmitter and sensor to be ganged together and made to scan as a unit over the holographic aperture. And yet another method is to hold both the transmitter and sensor stationary and scan the object to obtain an equivalent hologram. One of the problems with all these approaches is that the scanning is inherently slow, many transits of the scanning transducer are involved for wide band holograms. In order to overcome this problem various modifications have been proposed, several of which involve the use of transducer arrays. The arrays may be either of one or two dimensions and may be sampled or scanned mechanically or electrically. In general these systems operate faster but typically do not provide as much image information because of limitations on the number and uniformity of the elements of the array.

As reported in Ref. [2], a preliminary version of ultrasonic imaging system with capability of two dimensional coherent data processing and computer image processing has been built and tested at the Naval Postgraduate School (NPS).

Reference [2] also indicated that further work was required to develop more software for processing and displaying of images produced by the system. This thesis deals with efforts in this direction.



## B. DATA COLLECTION

The type of system from which the data for this thesis was created is described in detail in Ref. [2].

Introductory information is included herein. The object is insonified by a 6" (15.24 cm.) diameter gold coated quartz transducer. The transmitted or reflected wave is detected coherently (ie., both amplitude and phase) in some portion of a diffraction plane located an arbitrary distance from the object. Detection of the complex wave is accomplished by a raster scan of a single .04" (1.01mm) diameter PZT-5 ceramic receiver with a fundamental frequency of 1.014 MHz. Piezoelectric receiving elements offer an ideal combination of linearity and sensitivity[6] for this application.

After wave detection, the amplitude and phase of the wave are sampled, digitized, and recorded. The recorded data is then entered in the computer processing portion of the system at a later time. As indicated the Naval Postgraduate School (NPS) system consists of two parts: the data acquisition section and the computer processing and display section. The emphasis of this thesis has been placed on the presentation of the computer program used to display the data that was produced in the system previously discussed.

### III DISPLAY SYSTEM

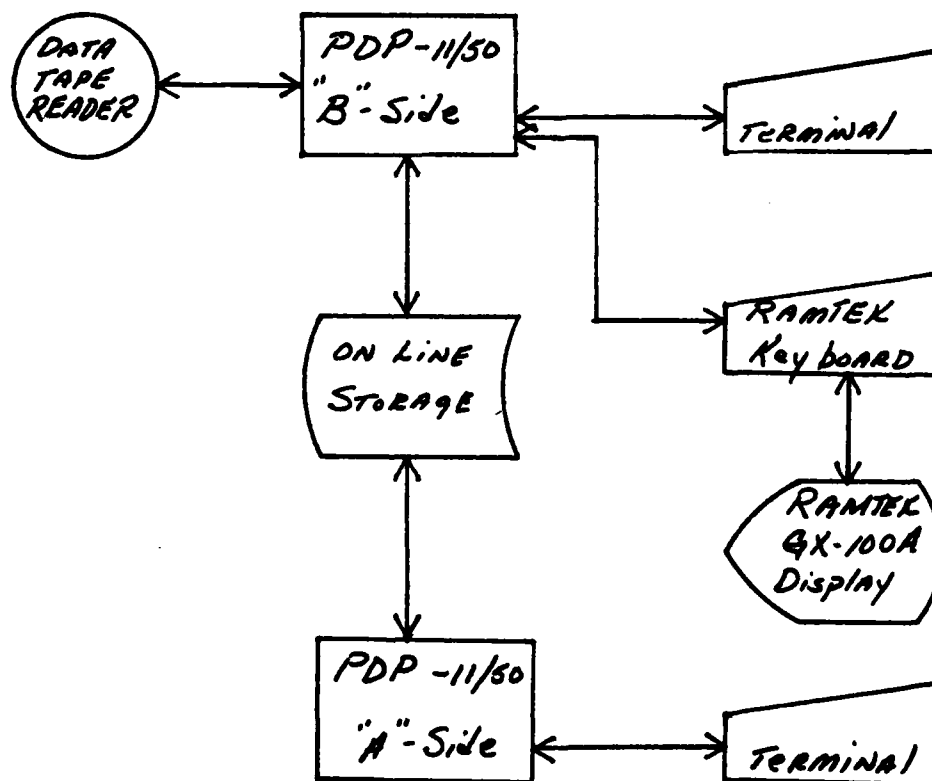
#### A. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The display system used is currently in operation at the NPS utilizing a PDP - 11/50 digital computer interfaced with a RAMTEK GX - 100A terminal and display screen, to generate the 16 - level color code displays of the digitized data.

Figure 2 shows a basic block diagram of the PDP - 11 and RAMTEK GX - 100A system as used.

The RAMTEK GX - 100A graphics display system utilizes a raster scan technique, with the display image data being extracted from an internal refresh memory. The RAMTEK system in operation at the NPS Computer Laboratory is hosted by the PDP - 11/50 computer and is accessed through this computer and its PWB/UNIX operating system, from one of the terminals in the lab.

The PWB/UNIX operating system is a library of executable statements that allow system operation to be controlled by simple call statements. The C language [7] programs discussed in this thesis are written for execution under the PWB/UNIX operating system and use many of these library calls.



Block Diagram of the Display System

Figure 2

## 1. RAMTEK Equipment

The RAMTEK GX - 100A is a color, raster scan display device, the heart of which is a color cathode ray tube, not unlike a home color television set. The method for generating its raster scan picture is identical to commercial cathode ray tubes. This is the only real similarity. The RAMTEK gets the information for its picture from a special video generator which reads the contents of a MOS refresh memory which contains all the information needed to produce an image on the screen.

It is not the intent of this thesis to discuss the details of how the electronics function, but to inform the user as to how to use the device to display the given data. A more detailed discussion of the functioning of the RAMTEK can be found in the RAMTEK GX - 100A [8] and RAMTEK GX -100B [9] programmers manual.

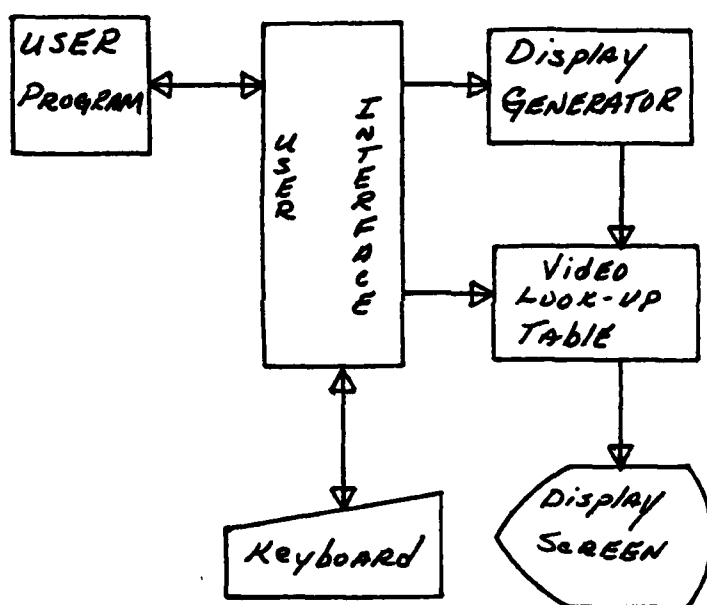
## 2. Operation

The RAMTEK system consists of a software interface to the user, a display generator, keyboard, video lookup table and a cathode ray tube. Figure 3 illustrates their relationship.

The user program executes on the PDP -11/50 computer. When the appropriate instructions are executed, the interface between the program and the display generator for the RAMTEK is activated. Information can be sent via the interface to the display generator from the user program or from the keyboard. Information can also be sent from the keyboard via the interface to the user program. The display generator interprets its instructions and constructs the display in its ROM memory. The image is generated on the CRT according to the colors contained in the video lookup table. Any image will remain ( unless over - written ), for an indefinite period of time in the ROM memory.

The RAMTEK graphics display system in the NPS Computer Laboratory utilizes a raster scan cathode ray tube with a screen resolution of 240 horizontal lines and 640 elements on each line. Each specific element is referred to as a pixel. This device has a high element resolution and a low line resolution. Therefore, the quality of certain images on the RAMTEK may be less than desirable. Lines that are not horizontal or vertical are drawn with a noncontinuous, staircase effect. When utilizing the device these resolution factors should be kept in mind, espically when operating in one of the data modes.

Color is generated by mixing three primary colors: blue, green, and red each in varying intensities from 0 to 15.



RAMTEK Display System

Figure 3

#### a. Virtual Screen Addressing

The initialization of RAMTEK, which is accomplished by the execution of the instruction "ramtek()", sets various default values. The virtual screen is set to a standard cartesian coordinate system, with (0.0,0.0) at the lower left corner of the screen, and (100.0,100.0) at the upper right corner. This virtual screen can be redefined by execution of a "screen(x,y,x1,y1)" instruction, where x and y's are floating point numbers.

Upon execution of ramtek(), a shades of grey color table (table 0) is loaded, with color entry 15 of the table enabled for display purposes. It selects the alphanumeric control mode and opens the RAMTEK for reading and writing and finally erase the screen of any previous images or displays.

There are three modes of addressing the screen, absolute, indexed, and relative. The program in this thesis was done in the absolute mode, in which the user specifies a specific location on the user defined screen by issuing a "strtxy(x,y)" instruction. The 'x' and 'y' values establish the current operating position (COP) location. A discussion of the other modes of addressing can be found in Ref. [10].

b. Control Modes

The RAMTEK operates in any one of eight modes. Each mode has associated with it certain control flags which modify the operation of the specific instruction within each mode. Table I summarizes the control modes and control flags and their relationships.

TABLE I  
CONTROL MODES AND CONTROL FLAGS

MODE		CONTROL FLAGS				
number	name	IX	BK	AW	DW	FP
-----						
0	ALPHANUMERIC	X	X	X	X	
1	TRANSVERSE DATA	X	X	X	X	
2	RASTER DATA	X	X	X	X	
3	COMPLEX DATA	X	X	X	X	
4	GRAPHIC VECTOR	X	X			X
5	GRAPHIC PLOT	X	X		X	X
6	GRAPHIC CARTESIAN	X	X			X
7	GRAPHIC ELEMENT	X	X		X	

definitions: IX - Index Addressing

BK - Reverse Background

AW - Additive Write

DW - Double Width

FP - Fixed Point

X - Control flag has an effect in this mode



(1) Alphanumeric Data Mode. The alphanumeric data mode is the default mode upon initialization of the RAMTEK. The COP is established by the execution of a strtxy(x,y) instruction. Following this instruction the instruction "strout(" character string ")" will allow a character string to be output to the RAMTEK screen. The character string can be no greater than 100 characters long beginning at the current operating position and continuing on the same line. After completion, an automatic line feed occurs which defines a new COP on the next line at the same starting point ( in x ) as the previous line.

When characters are drawn on the RAMTEK screen, the character appears in the designated color, while the rest of the screen is drawn in the background color. The description of how the color designation is accomplished will be discussed in Section III - c of this thesis.

(2) Transverse Data Mode. The typical use of the transverse data mode is to define special symbols and characters which can not be found in the standard character set.

The various data modes all have one thing in common, namely the "data(name,m)" instruction. This instruction causes the raw data that is passed in a linear array pointed to by "name" to be displayed on the screen depending upon the current control mode. Here "m" is the number of bytes in the integer array named 'name'.

The execution of the data( name, m) instruction writes the information in raw format, that is each data byte is interpreted as a single bit per pixel description of eight consecutive pixels along a real screen line. As is illustrated in Fig. 4. execution of the instruction:

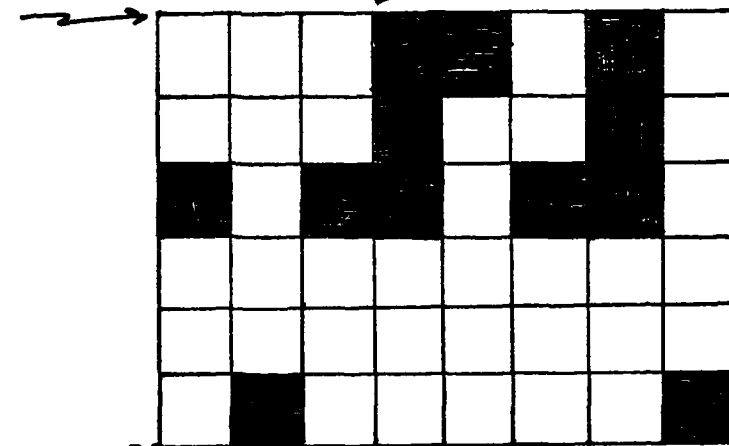
```
data(015022,  
      133000,  
      000101);
```

causes each of the three words (015022, 133000, 000101) to be converted to binary representation. Eight binary digits (ones or zeros) are then used sequentially to produce an image with each pixel that corresponds to a binary one being intensified, while the zeros remain the background color.

data (015022,  
133000,  
000101);

0 1 5 0 2 2  
 0001101000010010  
 1011011000000000  
 0000000001000001  
 0 0 0 1 0 1

old COP



new Cop

Transverse Data Mode

Figure 4

(3) Raster Data Mode. The raster data mode, except for the direction of the writing process is identical to the transverse data mode. The consecutive bytes transmitted by the data() instruction are written horizontally from left to right without starting a new line after eight bits are displayed. This is illustrated in Fig. 5 where the completion of eight bits (pixels) does not cause the COP to move to a new line.

(4) Complex Data Mode. This mode writes data on the screen in the same manner that the raster data mode does. However each pixel is described by four bits of data instead of three. Thus, a single data word describes four pixels instead of two as in the previous data modes.

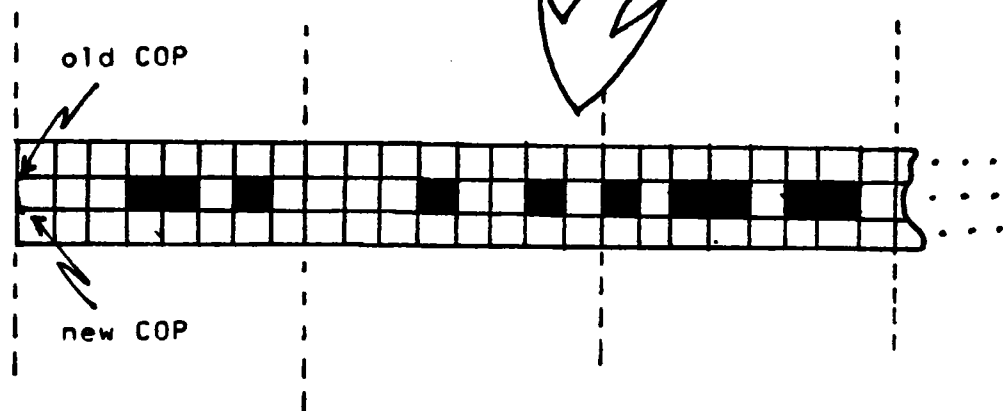
The color of each pixel being passed is defined by the four bits that are assigned to that pixel. This mode over-rides the color designated by the "color()" instruction. Unusual and unrealistic displays and images can be very easily achieved by the use of this data mode. Figure 6 illustrates how a data word is interpreted in this mode. The data word is converted to binary representation and each set of four bits represent an entry index of the current color table. The colors are drawn sequentially on the screen, using only four pixels per data word. The color() instruction will be described in Section III - c.

```

data(015022,
      133000,
      000101);

```

0 1 5 0 2 2  
 0001101000010010  
 1011011000000000  
 0000000001000001  
 0 0 0 1 0 1

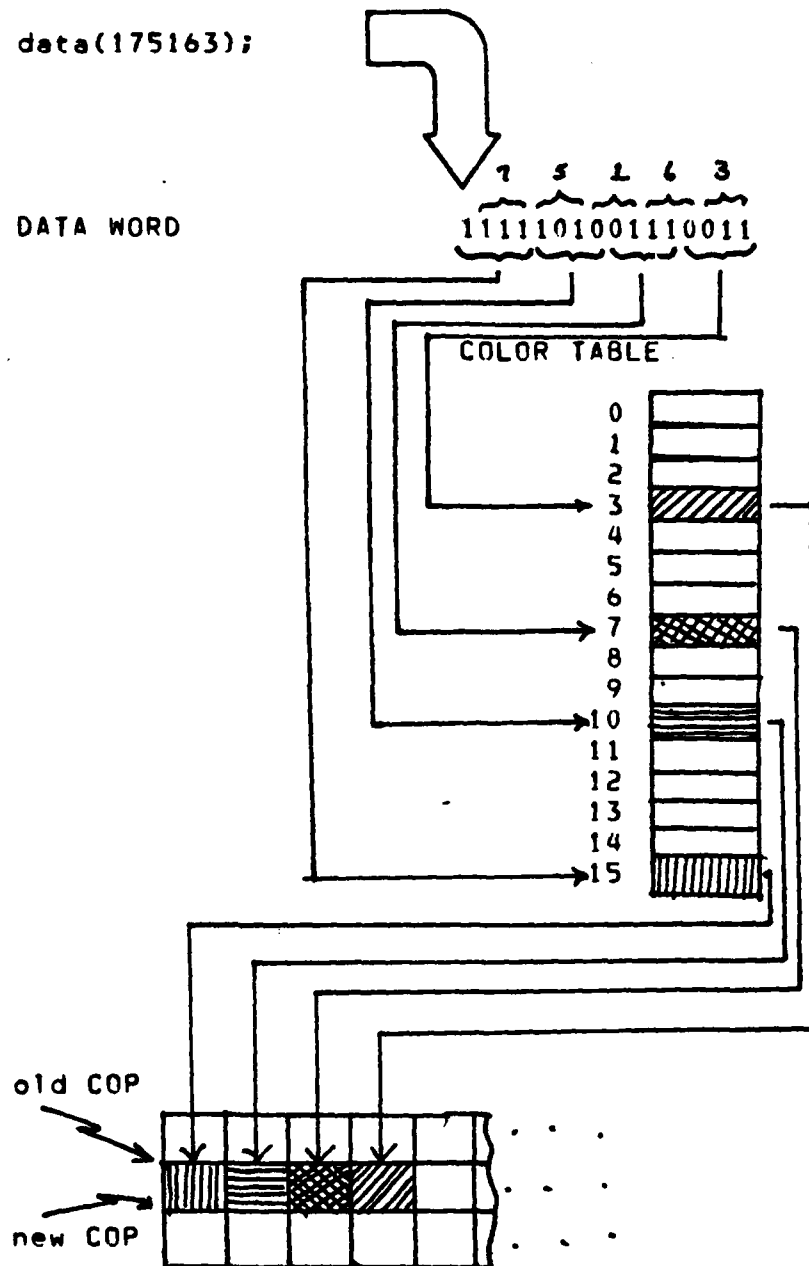


Raster Data Mode

Figure 5

data(175163);

DATA WORD



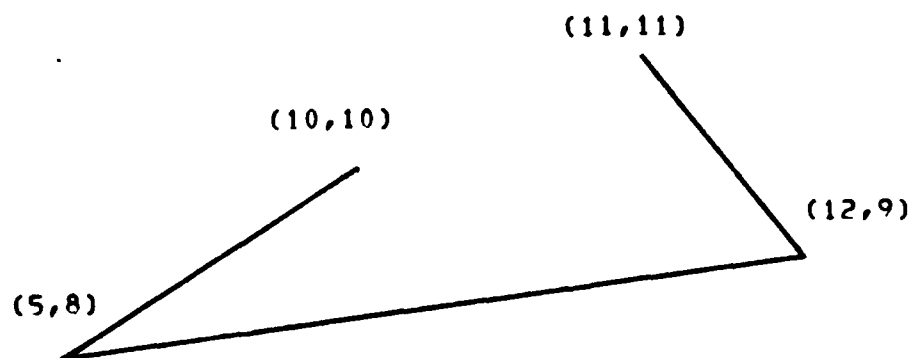
Complex Data Processing

Figure 6

(5) Graphic Vector Mode. The four graphic modes are used primarily for interactive drawing and plotting of data provided by the user. The graphic vector mode draws lines between arbitrary end points. The starting point is defined by the existing COP or it can be defined by the execution of `strtxy(x,y)`, to establish a new COP. The end points can be defined by issuing either a `"point(x,v)"` or `"pointr(x,y)"` instruction. The first uses absolute or indexed addressing, depending upon the control flags condition, and the second uses relative addressing. The values of `x`, and `y` are real and must be exclusively different than the current operating point values. After execution, the COP is then the end point of the vector just drawn. Thus a linked line as shown in Fig. 7 can be drawn by issuing a `strtxy()` followed by successive `point()` instructions.

Instructions:

```
setmode(4,0);  
strtxy(10.0,10.0);  
point(5.0,8.0);  
point(12.0,9.0);  
point(-1.0,2.0);  /* relative */
```



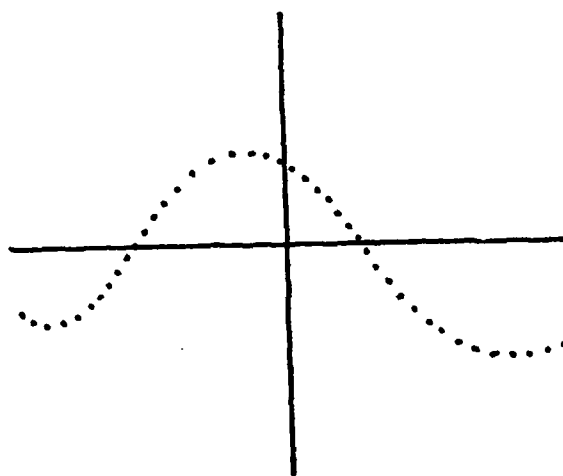
Drawing vectors in Graphic Vector Mode

Figure 7

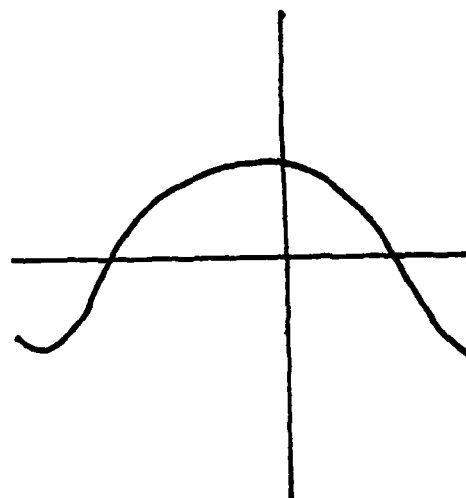


(6) Graphic Plot Mode. The displays generated by the graphic plot mode have been implemented as a set of plot routines in the user interface. The three routines are "plotpt()" (plots points) "plotln()" (plots continuous lines), and "ploth()", (plots a histogram). Each of the methods require the user to specify the points to be plotted. All three plotting methods are illustrated in Fig. 8. Detailed instructions on their use can be found in Appendix B of Ref. [10].

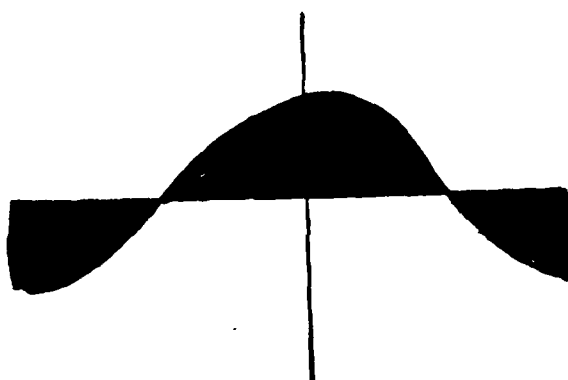
(7) Graphic Cartesian Mode. The graphic cartesian mode draws solid rectangles between arbitrary end points. The end points are defined as the lower left and upper right corners of a rectangle. The COP is the completion point of the drawing unless a new COP is defined with a strtxy() instruction. Second and subsequent rectangles can be drawn by the use of point() or pointr() instructions. With the fixed point flag set, a strtxy() instruction determines the common point for and between subsequent point() or pointr() instructions. Figure 9 illustrates these characteristics.



plotpt()



plotln()



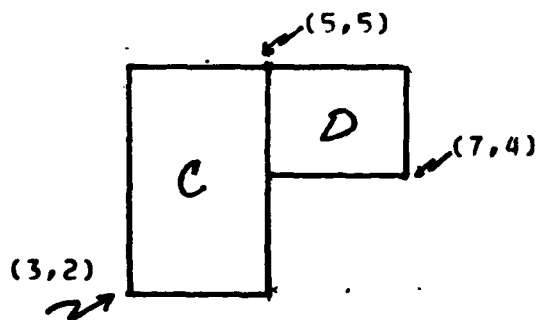
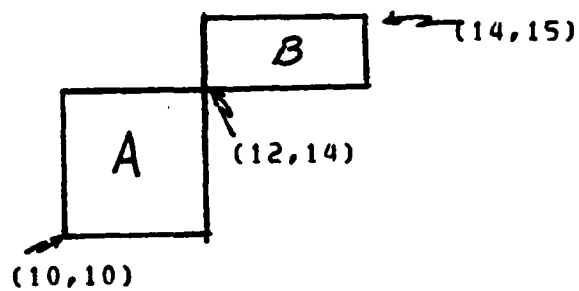
plotth()

Graphic Plot Mode

Figure 8

Instructions:

```
setmode(6,0);  
strtxy(10.,10);  
color(1);  
point(12,14.); /* Draw A in color 1 */  
color(2);  
point(14.,15.); /* Draw B in color 2 */  
fixpt(1); /* set fixed point */  
strtxy(5.,5.);  
point(3.,2.); /* Draw C in color 2 */  
color(3);  
point(7.,4.); /* Draw D in color 3 */
```



Graphic Cartesian Mode

Figure 9

(8)      Graphic Element Mode. The graphic element mode draws a single pixel on the screen as determined by a point() or a pointr() instruction. After execution, the COP is on the same real screen line and one screen element to the right.

### c. Color Usage

All images that are displayed on the screen are displayed according to an entry in the video look-up table, which is commonly called the color look-up table.

(1) Defining Colors. The RAMTEK hardware defines colors by the combining red, blue and green in varying intensities to produce color. Since the color lookup table, (from which the CRT receives its instructions on how to mix the three colors,) stores information in digital format, the user is limited to  $2^{12}$  (4096) possible color definitions. In order to define an entry in a color table, the instruction "triple(b,g,r)" is used to convert the three input parameters blue (b), green (g), and red (r) into an integer which is used for insertion into a color table entry. Each entry represents the code for a color in a twelve bit word. Each word is broken into three, four bit binary numbers which represents intensities of blue, green, and red to be mixed.

A color table that can be used for an image is limited to sixteen entries, these are the only colors that can be displayed at any one time on the screen. Entry zero of the color table is used as the background color, thus leaving the fifteen other colors for use in displaying images on the screen.

As one becomes familiar with the RAMTEK display it will become obvious that many of the "colors" are simply shades of the same color, many of which appear to be almost black or almost white. It is extremely difficult for an ordinary person to distinguish between  $(0,0,0)$  ,  $(0,0,1)$ ,  $(0,1,0)$ , or  $(1,0,0)$  all of which are very 'close' to black.

The RAMTEK interface system permits the use of eighteen separate color tables, the first four tables ( 0 thru 3 ) are system reserved tables, and can not be modified in any way. The user may define as many additional color tables as desired up to fourteen others, as described in the following section. The system color tables are:

table 0 - shades of grey	table 1 - shades of blue
table 2 - shades of green	table 3 - shades of red

(2) Loading a Color Table. Loading a user generated color table requires a series of operations. First an integer array of sixteen words must be declared. Then it is necessary to load each entry of the array from zero to fifteen with the sixteen colors that are desired. In order to accomplish this, the triple(b,g,r) routine is used to code the ordered triples and then assign the returned codes to each entry in the integer array.

After the array has been loaded, the routine "clrtbl(n,name)" is used to load the array into the actual color table, numbered 'n', where n is the number of the table between four and seventeen, and named 'name'. An example of the code to load a color table is as follows:

```
int aa[16] ;           /* declare a 16 word array */
.
.
.
aa[0] = triple(0,0,0); /* color black */
aa[1] = triple(15,0,0); /* color blue */
aa[2] = triple(0,15,0); /* color green */
aa[3] = triple(0,0,15); /* color red */
aa[4] = triple(15,0,8) /* color violet */
aa[15] = triple (15,15,15) /* color white */
.
.
.
clrtbl(5,aa);          /* load color table 5 with
                        the array aa */
```

#### d. Programming the RAMTEK

In order to use the RAMTEK system it is necessary to place prior to any RAMTEK instructions in the C language program the ramtek() routine. This routine must be the first call made in the user program. It is the initialization routine for the user interface and it opens the RAMTEK device and keyboard.

In order to utilize the interface, when compiling a C language program for RAMTEK the system command is :

```
% ramtek filename.c
```

Appendix A contains a list of reserved words. These words should not be used within any user programs that utilize the user interface for the RAMTEK system.



## B. DISPLAY PROGRAM

### 1. C Language

This display system was implemented in the C programming language [7], and is hosted by a PDP - 11/50 computer in the NPS Computer Laboratory.

The RAMTEK routines were all previously written in the C language and were for the most part adequately documented in Ref. [10]. The C language itself is well documented in Refs. [7] and [11], and allows the user to write clear and concise programs. The C language was available under the PWB/UNIX operating system, which is discussed in Refs. [12] and [13].

A C program consists of one or more functions, which are similar to the functions and subroutines of a Fortran program. "main()" is such a function; all C programs must have a main(). Execution of the program begins at the first statement of main, and main will usually simply call or invoke other functions, some which are user defined, others from libraries.

C language has four types of variables.

int - integer ( 16 bits )

char - one byte character ( 8 bits )

float - single-precision floating point

double - double precision floating point

There are also arrays and structures of these basic types, pointers to them and functions that return them. All variables in C must be declared and must precede executable statements.

The basic conditional- testing statement in C is the if statement, the simplest form of an if statement is :

if ( expression ) statement

The expression is evaluated and if it is true, the statement is executed. Individual statements end with a semi-colon ( ; ). There can be used an optional else clause.

The Relational operators are:

== equal to

!= not equal to

> greater than

< less than

>= greater than or equal to

<= less than or equal to

Tests can be combined with "&&" ( AND ), "||" ( OR ), and "!" ( NOT ).

The basic looping mechanism in C is the while statement. The while statement is a loop whose general form is :

```
while ( expression ) statement;
```

Its meaning is :

(a) evaluate the expression

(b) if its value is true,

do the statement and go back to (a).

The arithmetic operators are the usual add '+', subtract (minus) '-', multiply '\*', and divide '/' and the remainder or mod operator '%'. The else clause can be used to devise more elaborate programs such as :

```
if ( expression ) statement1 else statement2
```

or to construct logic that branches one of several ways :

```
if (....)
```

```
    {....}
```

```
else if (....)
```

```
    {....}
```

```
else if (....)
```

```
    {....}
```

```
else
```

```
    {....}
```

where the statements of the function are enclosed by the brackets {}.

In addition to the usual incrementing and decrementing methods, C has two other unary operators '++' ( increment ), and '--' ( decrement ). Where  $++n$  is equivalent to  $n = n + 1$  . The unusual feature of '++' and '--', is that they can be used before or after a variable. The value of  $++k$  is the value of  $k$  after it has been incremented. The value of  $k++$  is the value of  $k$  before it is incremented.

Arrays can be made as in Fortran, thus an array of ten integers is created by the following declaration :

```
int x[10] ;
```

square brackets [] are used for subscripting, and parentheses are used for function references . Array indices begin at zero, thus the elements of  $x$  are :  $x[0]$ ,  $x[1]$ ,  $x[2]$ , ..... $x[9]$ . Multi-dimension arrays are provided, with the declaration similar to

```
int name[10][20] ;
```

$name$  has 10 rows, and 20 columns; and the rightmost subscript varies fastest.

Text is usually kept as an array of characters. The statement:

```
printf("%d:\t%s",n,line);
```

will print the integer  $n$ , a colon, tab five spaces and print the characters stored in the array named  $line$ . The symbol "%d" indicates to print an integer, the symbol "\t", indicates to tab five spaces while the symbol "%s" indicates to print a character array. Each variable symbol must be identified in the description portion of the statement (that portion not enclosed by quotation marks).

Another method is to place the output between quotes  
as :

```
printf(" Mary had %d ducks\n", i) ;
```

with i equal to 7 , will print

```
Mary had 7 ducks
```

the symbol '\n' is the carriage return control character.

The for statement is a somewhat generalized while statement, that allows the user to put the initialization and increment parts of a loop into a single statement.

An example is:

```
for ( i = 0; i < k; i++ ) {  
    statement1  
    statement2  
}
```

which executes statement1 and statement2 k times.

Global variables, variables common to all functions are declared outside of main(). Local variables are declared inside a function, while the declaration of passed variables is done between the function name argument list and the opening '{'. An example is shown on the following page.

```

int z, k ;                /* global variable */
main()
{
    int x[10] ;
    count(sum,10) ; /* calls count routine */
    printf("The answer is %d0, x[i]) ;
    k = x[1] * x[2] + ( x[3] - x[4] )
    count(total,size)
    int total[], size ;    /* passed variables */
    {
        int i, c ;        /* local variables */
        for ( i = 0; i < size; i++ )
        {
            .
            .
            .
            executable statements
            .
            .
            .
        }
        for ( z = k; z < c; z++ )    /* z global */
        {
            .
            .
            .
        }
        return ;
    }
}

```

A pointer in C is the address of something. The unary operator '&' is used to produce the address of an object. Thus:

```
int a, b ;
```

```
b = &a ;
```

puts the address of a into b. If b is declared a pointer as :

```
int a, *b, c ;
```

```
b = &a ;
```

```
c = *b ;
```

b contains the address of a and c = \*b means to use the value of b as an address ( as a pointer ).

An unusual feature of C is that normal binary operators like the '+' and the '-' can be combined with the assignment operator '=' to form new assignment operators. For example "x -= 10" uses the assignment operator '=-' to decrement x by ten, and x &= 0177 forms the AND of x and 0177. The space immediately following the equal sign is critical! X = -10 sets X to minus ten, while X -= 10 decrements X by ten.

Appendix B lists key words in C language and may not be used otherwise. Additional information may be obtained from Refs. [7] and [11].

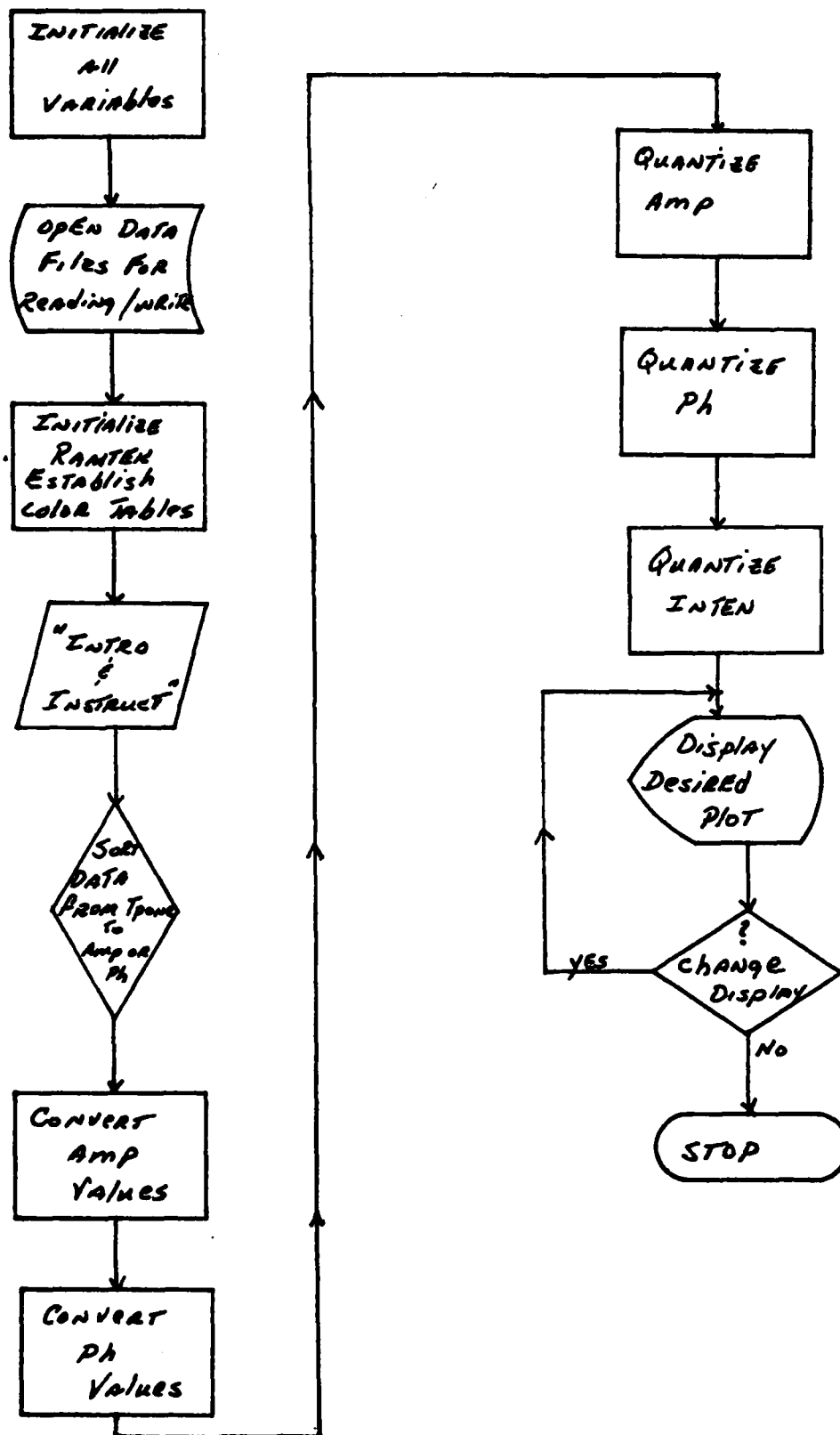
## 2. Program Description

A complete program listing of the display program can be found in Appendix D. The filename of this program is see3.c, and can be copied, moved, or edited using the routine system functions of PWB/UNIX listed in references [12] and [13] .

The purpose of this section is to discuss each routine individually, each routine's purpose (output) and its relationship with other routines in the program.

Figure 10 shows functional flow of the display program. The general purpose of the program is to read a data file into memory, sort the data into two separate files, and convert the two files which have relative values in them to absolute values. Next the program quantizes each file to 16 levels for use in displaying the image. During execution the RAMTEK system is initialized and the image is displayed with an option to change the selected display type. The basic flow is that the function main() calls each routine, that routine accomplishes a specific function and returns to main for the next function call. Appendix C is a more detailed flow chart of the program and subroutines.





General Flow Chart

Figure 10

### a. Declarations

The following variables are declared as global variables so that multiple declaration statements are not required.

variable	function ( use )
-----	
amp	filename to store 4096 (64x64) relative values of amplitude
ph	filename to store 4096 relative values of phase
inten	filename to store 4096 relative values of intensity
i, j, k	integer counters
m	ASCII conversion to integer of four bits of "tpone"
n	integer value for the selected color table
show	integer value for the selected display
flag	integer indicator as to whether the routine showc1r() has been executed or not. If flag = 1 then erase the screen in the routine draw().
fd1	integer file descriptor for the opening of file tpone
fd2	integer file descriptor for the opening of file amp

fd3	integer file descriptor for the opening of file ph
fd4	integer file descriptor for the opening of file mag
fd5	integer file descriptor for the opening of file phase
fd6	integer file descriptor for the opening of file inten
fd7	integer file descriptor for the opening of file mag2
aa[16], bb[16], dd[16], ee[16], ff[16]	16 - word integer arrays to store various color tables
cc[4]	four character - character array to store four values of tpone either amp or ph
*pc	pointer to character pc
q	character, q = 'b' is a test value for determining that input from the keyboard has occurred
z	character for labeling the color bar table
mag	filename to store 4096 actual values of magnitude
phase	filename to store 4096 actual values of phase

x, y	real counters for positioning the COP for displaying the data
maxa	maximum value of amplitude
mina	minimum value of amplitude
maxp	maximum value of phase
minp	minimum value of phase
maxi	maximum value of intensity
mini	minimum value of intensity
difa	difference between maximum and minimum amplitude
difo	difference between maximum and minimum phase
difi	difference between maximum and minimum intensity
maq2	filename to store 4096 real values of intensity (magnitude squared)

#### b. Main Program

The purpose of the main program is to call the various routines that are used to accomplish the purpose of the program. The flow of execution through main() is sequential. The compilation and the execution of this program causes specific data files to be filled with display data words. These files must be previously created by the

user. One method is to use the "ed" (edit) command [12] such as:

```
%ed amp   or   %ed inten
```

Seven data files must be created and reside in the users library prior to program execution. This procedure will be explained further in section A-3 of this chapter.

If the program has been used to display data, causing these data files to have the correct information stored in them, it is unnecessary to re-fill them with the same information again upon subsequent executions of the program that uses the same input data tape.

Comment indicators '/\*' are recognized and cause the compiler to cease compiling and continue reading, until a '\*/' is sensed, when compiling continues again. The statements included between '/\* and \*/' are recognized as unexecutable comment statements and have no effect upon program execution.

The six routines readdata(), amptomaa(), phto-phas(), amplevel(), phlevel(), and intlevel() are used to fill the appropriate data files.

Since only one test data tape was available, with its information being stored in data file "toone", it was unnecessary to execute these routines each and every use of the program.

Comment indicators were placed prior to and following each routine call from main(), in order to preclude execution of six time consuming routines. Use of these comment indicators significantly reduces the compilation, and execution time of the program. If it becomes necessary to change a data file, because of additional or different data tapes, the simple removal of the appropriate comment indicators will easily facilitate the use of the specified routine.

The main() routine sets three variables (n, q, and show) to initial values for use by subsequent called routines. The program terminates upon the execution of an exit(), which is executed in the finish() routine.

#### c. fileopen()

The purpose of fileopen(), is to open seven data files, which must already exist in the users library, for reading and writing of information. If these files do not exist in the user's library, refer to Ref.[12] for further edification.

It should be kept in mind that tpone, amp, ph, mag, phase, inten, and mag2 are external files that have data stored in them, and that this data must be stored by a write instruction and must be accessed by a read instruction.

It is the user's responsibility to ensure that all necessary files do exist and are accessible prior to program execution. Returned values are 1 if successful opens have been executed; otherwise the program will terminate upon an unsuccessful opening of any file.

d. readdata()

The purpose of readdata() is to separate the data from tpone into two files, amp and ph.

The original values of data were recorded onto a papertape in alternating sequence, amplitude then phase, for in excess of 4096 data pairs. The data was recorded in ASCII format, thus it is also converted from ASCII to integer within the routine readdata().

The variable cc is a character array four characters long. When the array is filled with three characters, and a ' ' (space), as the fourth character, the library routine atoi() is called which converts the contents of the cc array into an integer variable m. Depending upon whether the variable K is odd or even, m is then written into either the amp file or the ph file. This sequence is repeated 4096 times. Upon completion of readdata(), no further use of tpone is required, and two separate data files, amp and ph

will each have 4096 integer values of amplitude and phase stored in them respectively.

e. amptomag()

The purpose of amptomag(), is three fold: first it converts the relative values in amp (in db) into actual values in mag (in db); secondly, it finds the intensity (in db) of the values in mag and assigns them to mag2; and thirdly, amptomag determines maximum and minimum values for magnitude (mag) and magnitude squared (mag2).

One value of amp is read, mag is assigned a specific value according to the equation:

$$\text{mag} = -20.18 - .1734 * \text{amp}$$

This is necessary because the data acquisition system records relative values. For display purposes actual values are required necessitating a system calibration to produce the above equation. If the calculated value of mag is greater than the current value of maximum amplitude, then max amplitude is assigned this value. If this value of mag is less than the current value of minimum amp, then min amp is assigned this value. The magnitude squared value is then tested in the same manner, and finally mag value is written into mag file, and the mag2 value is written into the mag2 file.



#### f. phtophas()

The routine phtophas() is similar to amptomaq() in purpose namely to convert from relative values of phase to actual values, and to find maximum and minimum values.

One value of ph is read and depending upon whether it is less than or equal to or greater than 127, it is assigned a specific value of phase (in degrees) according to:

if ph < 127

phase =  $1.139 + 1.4946 * ph$

else

phase =  $-380.28 + 1.4917 * ph$

As with amp this equation results from calibrations performed on the acquisition system.

Maximum and minimum values are tested and saved accordingly. Finally the value of phase is written into the phase file.

#### g. amolevel()

The purpose of amolevel() is to divide the range of amplitudes into 16 equal levels, (because each color table has a possibility of sixteen color entries), to test each individual value and to assign it a new level number

according to its value. If maxa has a value of 600 and mina has a value of 200, sixteen equal levels would be 25 units wide. The general equation used is:

difference = maximum - minimum;

For each value:

$$\text{level value} = 16 - \frac{(\text{maximum} - \text{value}) * 16}{\text{difference}}$$

Thus a value of 317 in the above example would be given a level value of 4.

$$16 - \frac{(600 - 317 * 16)}{400} = 4$$

upon completion of amolevel(). The file am0 will then contain integers from zero to fifteen representing the various amplitude levels. These values will be used as color table indices in subsequent functions, for displaying the image.

h. phlevel()

The purpose of phlevel() is identical to the purpose of amolevel(). Upon completion of phlevel(), the file ph will contain integers from zero to fifteen representing the various phase levels.

#### i. intlevel()

As with amplevel() and phlevel(), the purpose of intlevel() is to generate a file with values from zero to fifteen representing various levels of intensity. Upon completion of intlevel() the file inten will contain integer values from 0 to 15 representing the various intensity levels.

Each of the six preceeding routines are called from main(), and are only called one time. If the program has been previously compiled and excuted, such that current data is stored in amp, oh, and inten files; deletion of the comment indicators should be seriously be considered prior to compiling and execution of the program.

#### j. ctable()

The purpose of ctable() is to define additional color tables that can be used for display.

The five arrays have been declared globally and by the use of the triple() routine, various color values have been assigned to each element of the five arrays.

Remember that there are four color tables that are system color tables, that are also available for use, namely greys, blues, and greens. The arrays are assigned specific color table numbers and names by use of the `clrtbl (n, name)` routine.

#### k. `display()`

The purpose of this routine is to create the image on the display screen according to values stored in the desired display file. Once the image has been drawn, the routine calls the routine `draw()` to display the color table that is in use, sets the desired selection indicator to zero and calls the routine `change()`. Control is never returned to `main()` and the program can only terminate in the routine `finish()` which is called by `change()`.

The selected color table is the variable `n` and the brightest color entry is assigned for use as writing text on the screen. All colors are available for use in image displaying however one of the colors is used to interact with the user, namely entry 15.

The COP starts at the upper left, at cartesian point (30.,69.375). For 64 values of `i`, `X` is incremented by 0.625, the color level value is obtain from the selected

display file, used as the variable in color() and a block 0.625 by 0.625 units is drawn by the block() instruction. After 64 blocks have been drawn, Y is decremented by 0.625. X is assigned the value of 69.375 and for 64 values is decremented by 0.625. The color level values from the display TYPE file, are obtained and the block drawn in the appropriate color. Figure 12 is a pictorial representation of this procedure.

The seek() instructions are system functions that move a pointer to the specified position of the specified file.

```
seek (fd2,0,0);
```

orders the pointer to point to the file described by "file description two" (fd2), point to the zero position (the first zero) with a zero offset (the second zero).

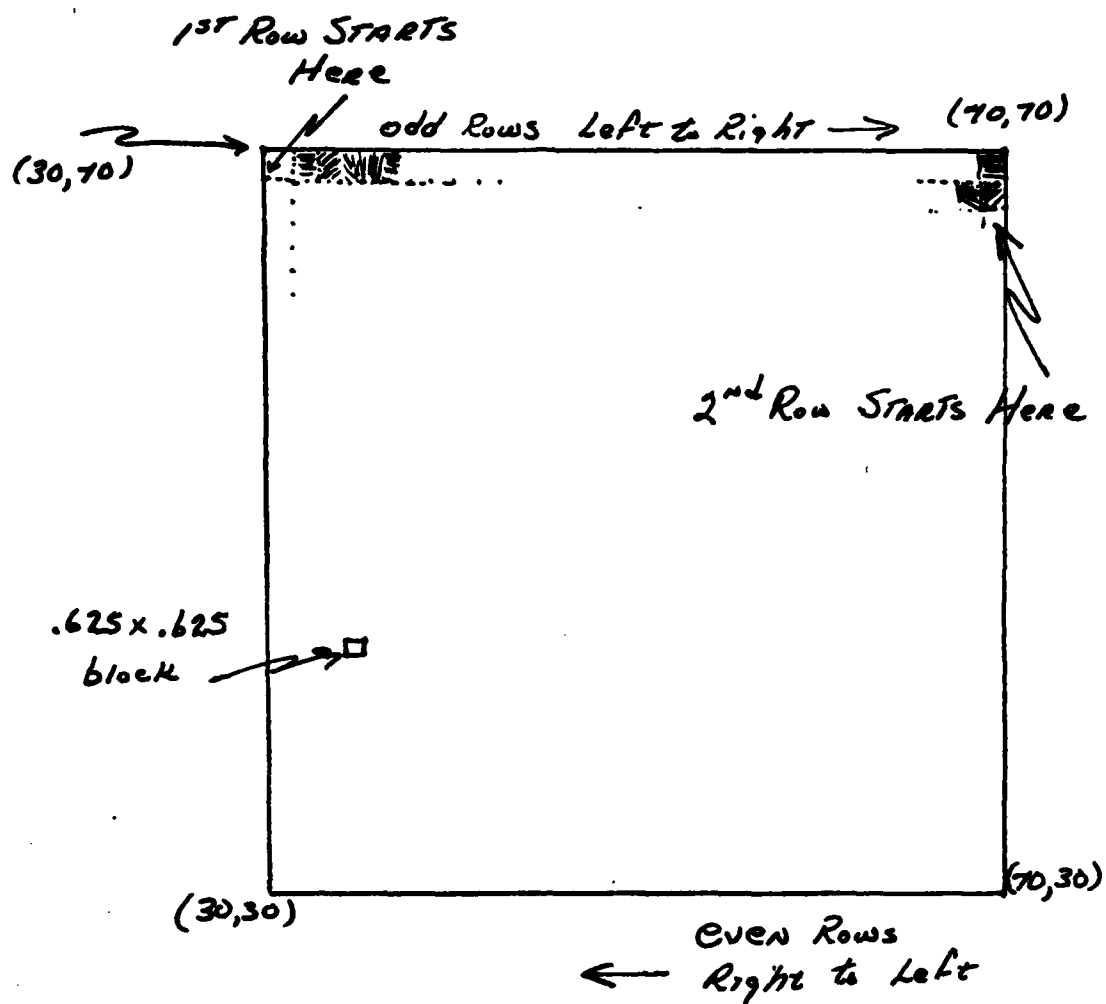
The variable show is used to simply indicate which display has been selected to be plotted.

```
Show= 1 ==> Amplitude display
```

```
Show = 2 ==> Phase display
```

```
Show = 3 ==> Intensity display
```

When display() is completed the image can remain on the screen indefinitely, until an erase() is executed by completing the action indicated at the top of the screen, which is typing a 'c' for change or a 'q' for quit.



Display Representation

Figure 11

#### l. draw(p)

The routine draw() is called from two different routines, from showc1r() and from display(). The purpose of draw() is to display the current color table on the RAMTEK screen with corresponding color levels indicated. There are sixteen colors in each table and the size of each color block is 3x4 units. The variable Z is a character variable. By adding 060 to the integer variable p, the statement out(Z) can be executed. Out() displays a single character on the RAMTEK screen at the current operating point. Upon completion of drawing the color table execution is returned to the calling routine.

#### m. page1()

The purpose of page1() is simply to output text to the RAMTEK screen for introductory comments. When the letter 'c' is typed on the RAMTEK keyboard the routine terminates, and returns to main().

#### n. page2()

The purpose of page2() is to allow the user to select the display he desires to see. The integer variable

show is set to zero and the program will wait until a number is typed on the RAMTEK keyboard, followed by a carriage return using the CR key.

o. page3()

The purpose of page3() is to allow the user to view the available color tables and then select which color table he wishes to be used to generate the image. There are nine different color tables: four system reserved color tables, and five program generated. The integer variable n is used to indicate the selected color table.

The viewing of color tables is accomplished by calling the routine showc1r(). The user may already know what tables are available and the corresponding table number, thereby not wishing to view the nine tables. This option is also available, simply by typing the letter 'n' indicating that no - the user does not wish to see the color tables.

p. showc1r()

The purpose of the routine showc1r() is to call draw() for displaying the current color table and asking the user if he wishes to see the next color table.



#### q. change()

The purpose of the routine change() is to determine whether the user wishes to select another desired display, and/or change the color table currently in use. When the user indicates that a change in display is desired the routines, page2() and page3(), are called to obtain necessary information concerning the selected display and color to be displayed. Once this is accomplished, the routine display() is again called to produce the desired display.

The routine change() can only be exited by indicating that the user desires to quit, by typing the letter 'q' when asked to do so. The display can be changed as many times as the user desires to do so.

#### r. finish()

The purpose of the routine finish() is to verify that the user does in fact wish to quit. The user is given a second and final chance to indicate whether he does really want to stop, or does want to go back and look at another selected display.

### 3. Program Execution

It is assumed that the user of this program does have at least some introductory experience with the facilities in the Computer Laboratory, and with the PWB/UNIX operating system. In order for the user to successfully display the image on the RAMTEK system a number of actions must have been accomplished.

#### a. Program Loading

The program see3.c must be copied into the user's library so that he may make desired changes, and so that compilation may be accomplished.

As indicated in section III A-2, seven data files must reside in the user's library. Those files are :

tpone  
amp  
ph  
phase  
maq  
int  
maq2

They can be created by using the edit command "ed", then writing one blank line (carriage return), and

then quitting the edit mode. For example to create the amp file:

```
%ed amp
0 ?
>a
(return)
.
>lw
>q
%
```

would accomplish the task.

#### b. Program compilation.

Once the user has copied and made any desired edits to his personal copy of the program, the program can be compiled in order to produce an executable file named a.out. The compilation is accomplished by typing the following system command :

```
% ramtek see3.c
```

This action will produce an executable file named a.out. It is highly recommended that the move command

```
mv a.out anotherfilename
```

be executed in order to reduce the possibility of erasing the file a.out by another compilation prior to completion of its use.

Once the compilation has been completed, typing the filename a.out will cause execution to begin. Typing anotherfilename, if the move (mv) command was executed, will also cause execution to commence.

### c. RAMTEK Execution

In order to use the RAMTEK system verification from the Computer Laboratory staff personnel should be obtained as to whether RAMTEK is operational or not. When RAMTEK is operational two power switches must be turned on. One switch is on the CRT housing cabinet; it is a knob located on the front lower left corner marked on - off. The other switch is on the keyboard, a green push type switch on the upper right corner. Both of these switches must be on before the program is executed in order to have meaningful results.

### d. Editing the Program

The user can edit his copy of the display program in the normal PWB/UNIX editing mode. Most of the changes will probably be the addition or change of color tables, or increasing the size of the display.

## C. SYSTEM DISPLAYS

The photographs shown in the following pages are pictorial evidence that the routine appears to accomplish the desired task, although much of the visual impact is lost by being limited to black and white photos.

## 1. Program Development

The display program was developed in sequential steps. A specific routine was written and tested individually and then it was incorporated with the previously completed routines.

## 2. Display Photographs

The photographs on the following pages show how some improvements to the program affected the display output. The last sets of photographs show the display output of the completed program, as listed in appendix D. This program is re-entrant, allowing the user to select an alternate display and different color tables for use in subsequent display outputs at the current session.

Figure 12 shows one of the first images produced. The object is a circular aperture placed in front of the source transducer. The sound field is scanned immediately behind the object. Previous images (not shown) filled the screen and did not have any margins. In figure 12 the image

is rectangular, controlled by the block() instruction, to be 40 wide and 70 high. The display used white as the background color and it used shades of red and blues as the primary colors of the table.

Figures 13 - 16 show the image to be blocked to 40X40. As can be seen in Fig.16, this square image allowed for information to be presented in the borders of the screen.

Figures 17 - 20 are presented to show the "interaction" that the user has with the system. The user must respond to the requests presented on the screen - or the system will remain in an idle state waiting for a response.

Figures 21 - 26 show the three possible kinds of display images, utilizing two different color tables. Figures 21,23 and 25 use the shades of red table, while Figs. 22,24 and 26 use a mixed color table. Figures 21 and 22

are of the amplitude plots; Figs. 23 and 24 are the phase plots; and Figs. 25 and 26 are the intensity plots.

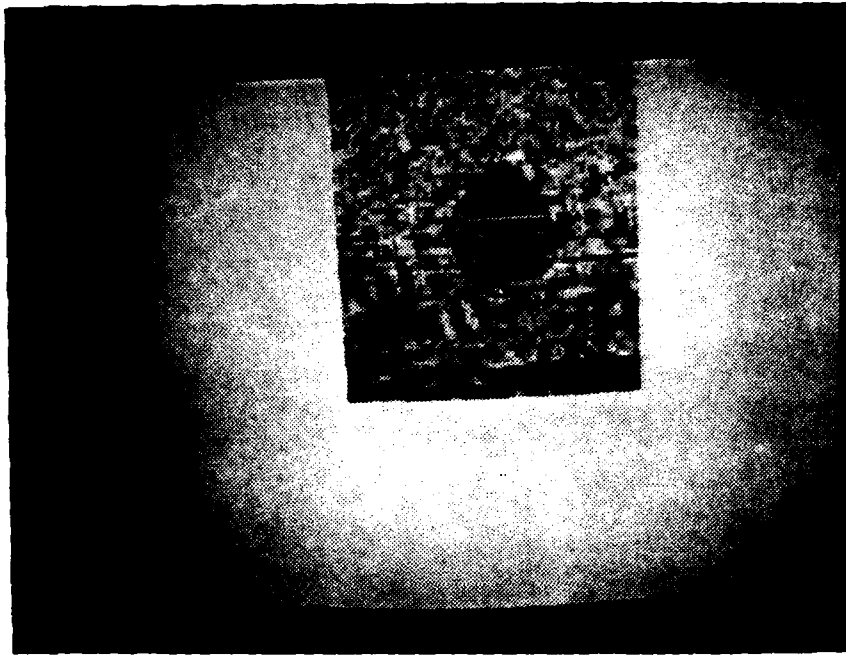


Figure 12. Early Development Stage

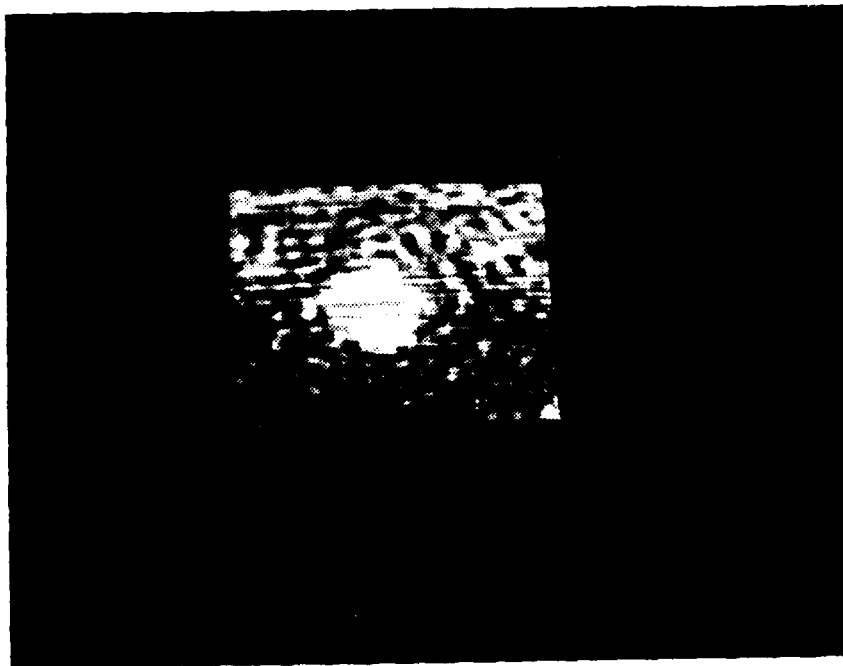


Figure 13.

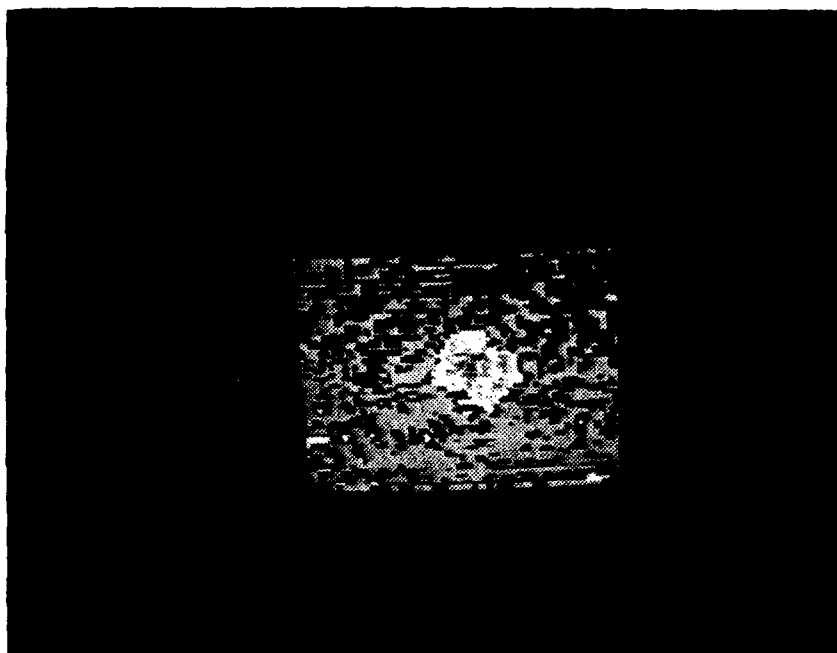


Figure 14.

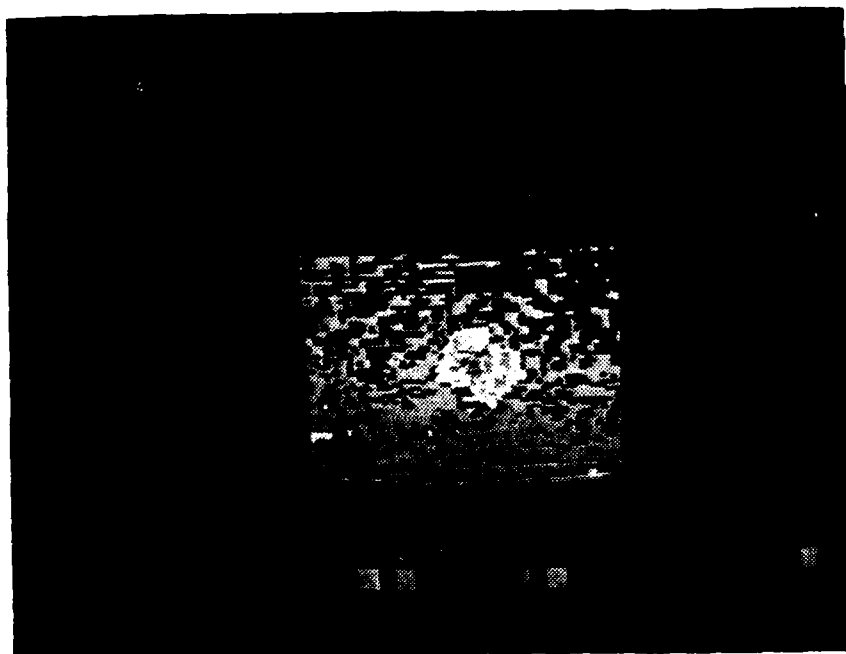


Figure 15.



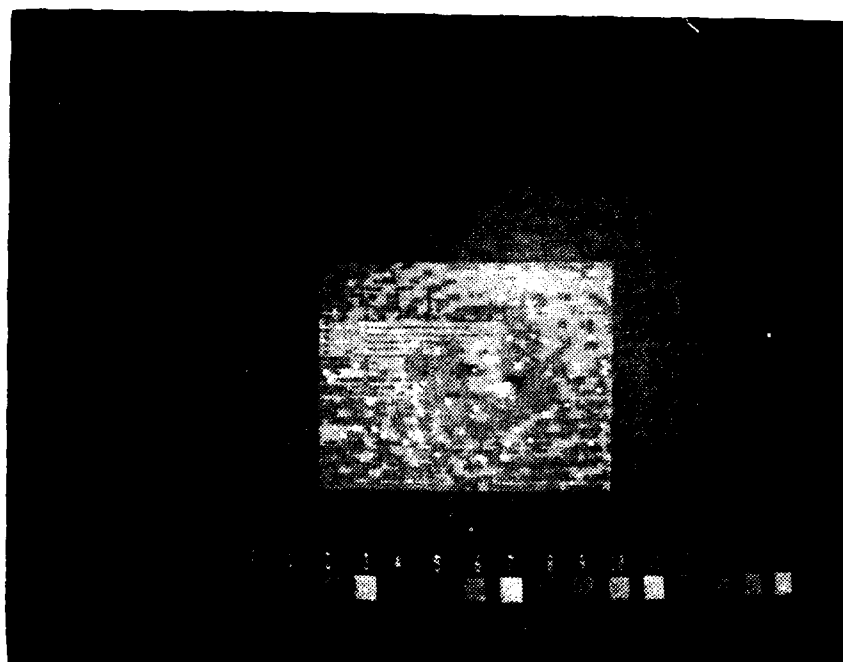


Figure 16.

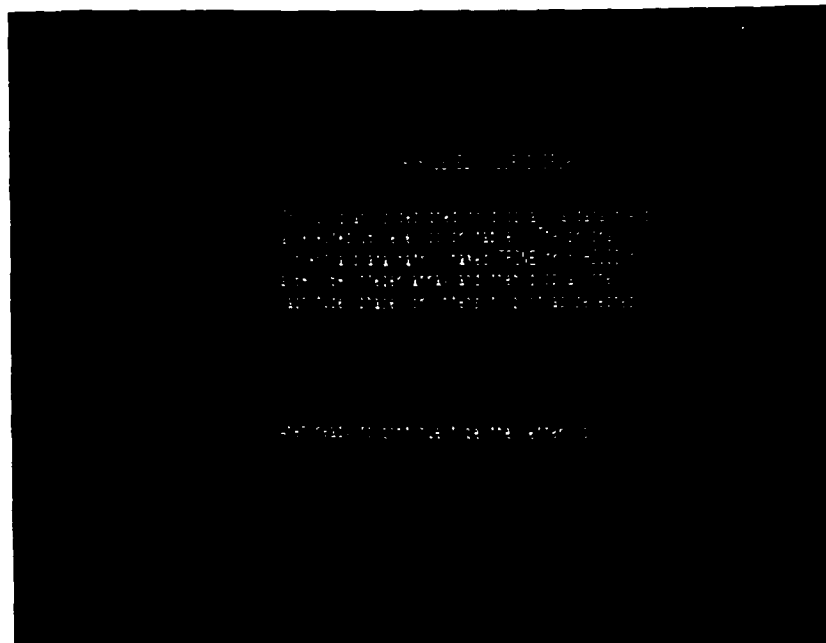


Figure 17.

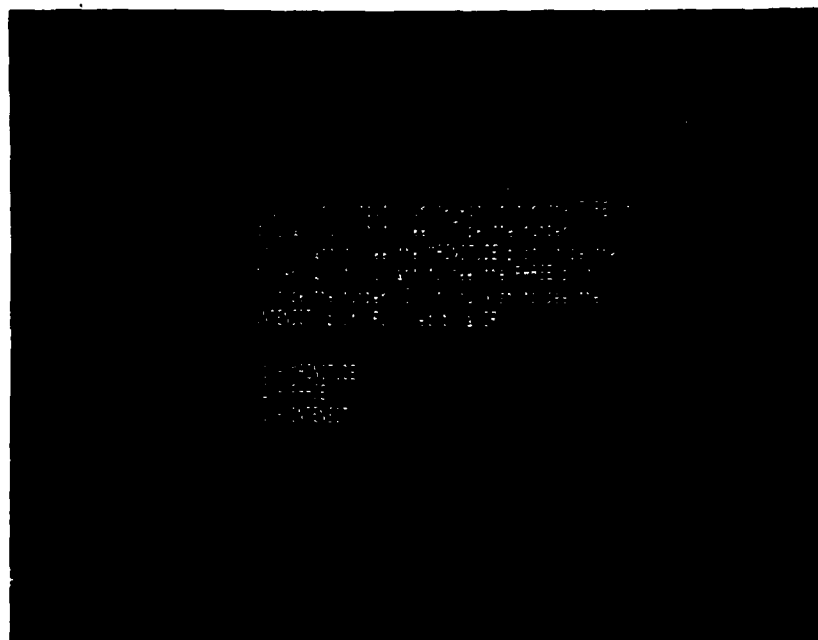


Figure 18.

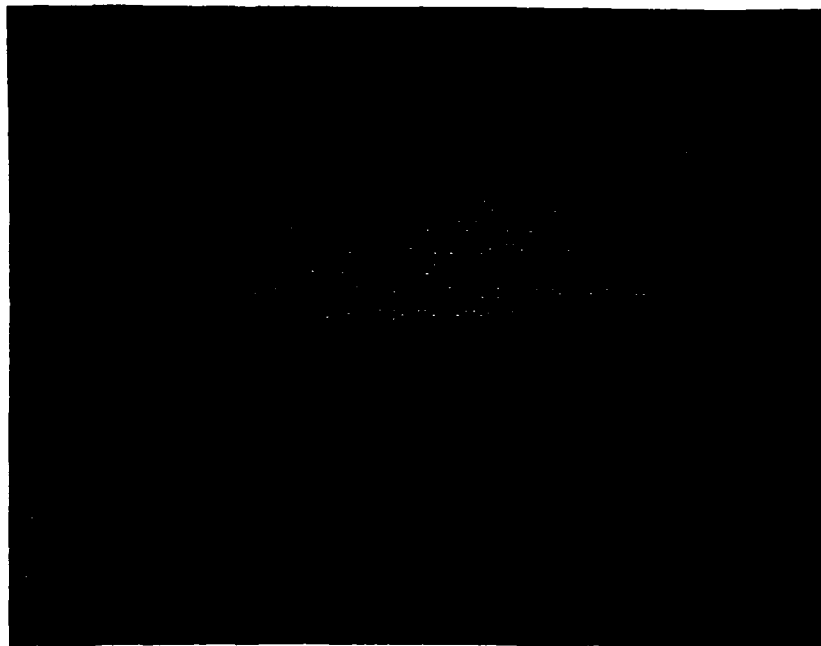
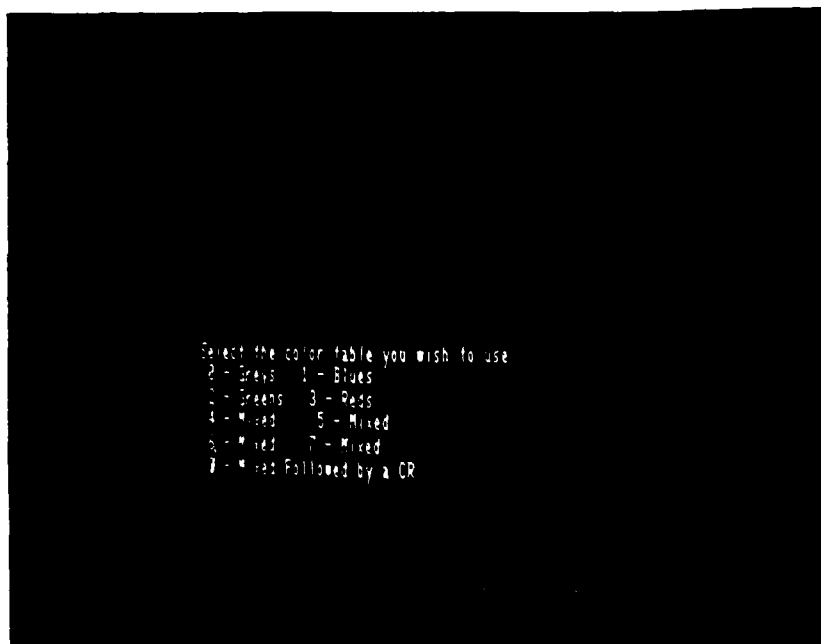


Figure 19.



Select the color table you wish to use  
2 - Greys 1 - Blues  
3 - Greens 3 - Reds  
4 - Mixed 5 - Mixed  
6 - Mixed 7 - Mixed  
8 - Mixed Followed by a CR

Figure 20.

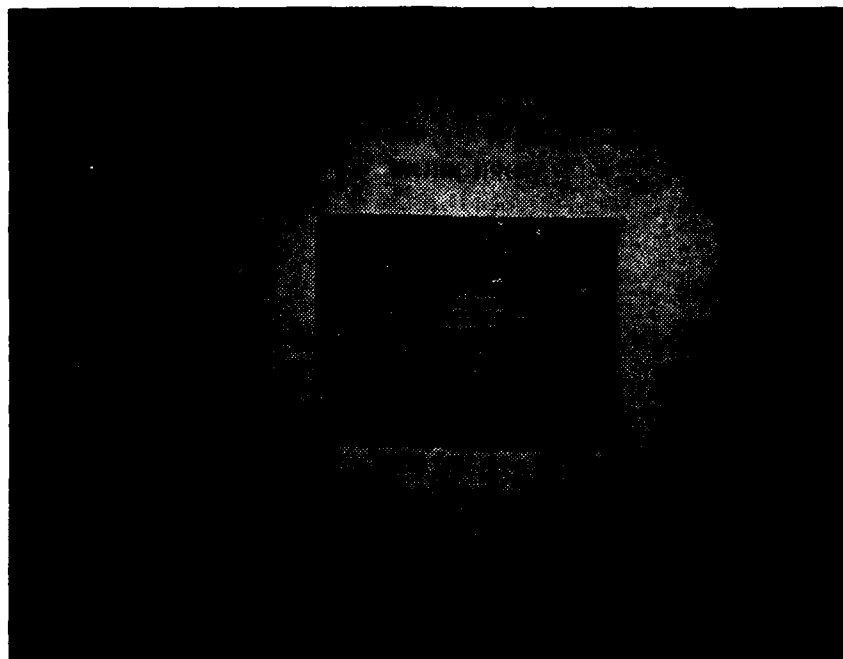


Figure 21.

Amplitude Display - Reds Color Table

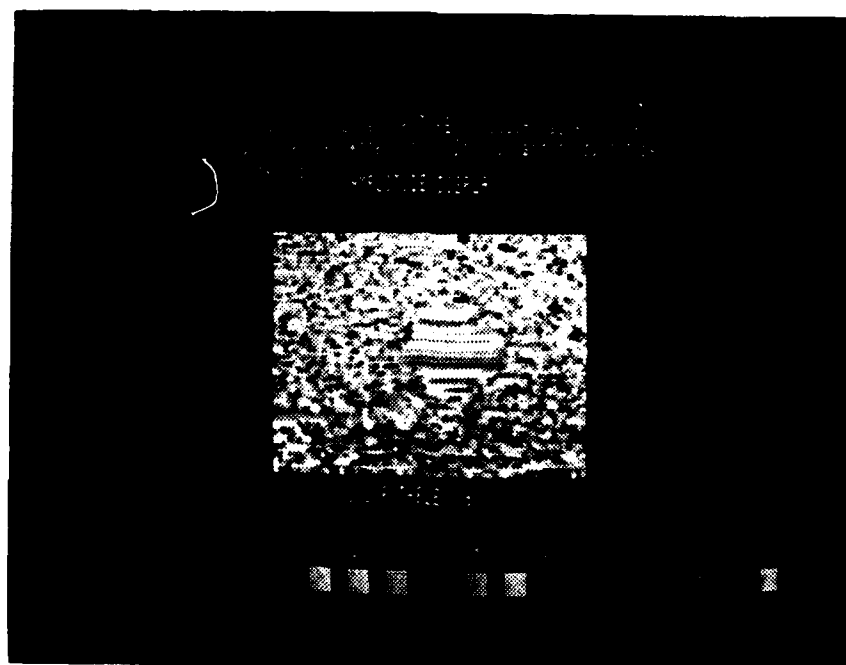


Figure 22.

Amplitude Display - Mixed Colors

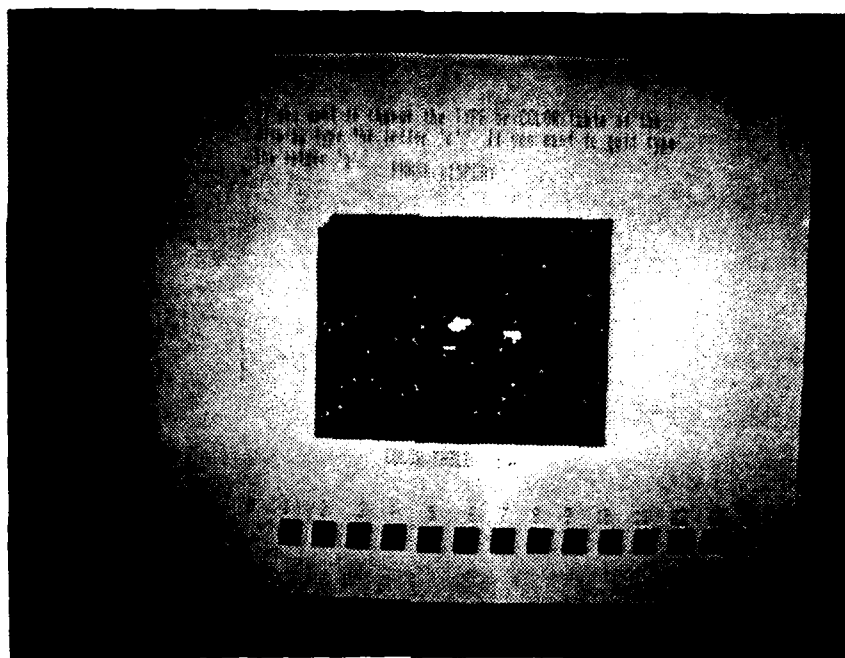


Figure 23.

Phase Display - Reds Color Table

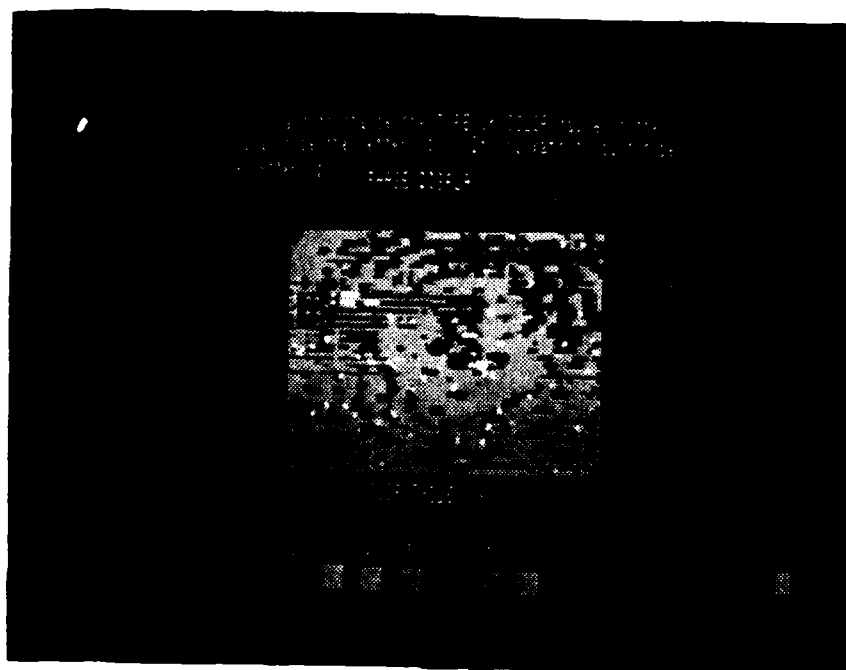


Figure 24.

Phase Display - Mixed Colors

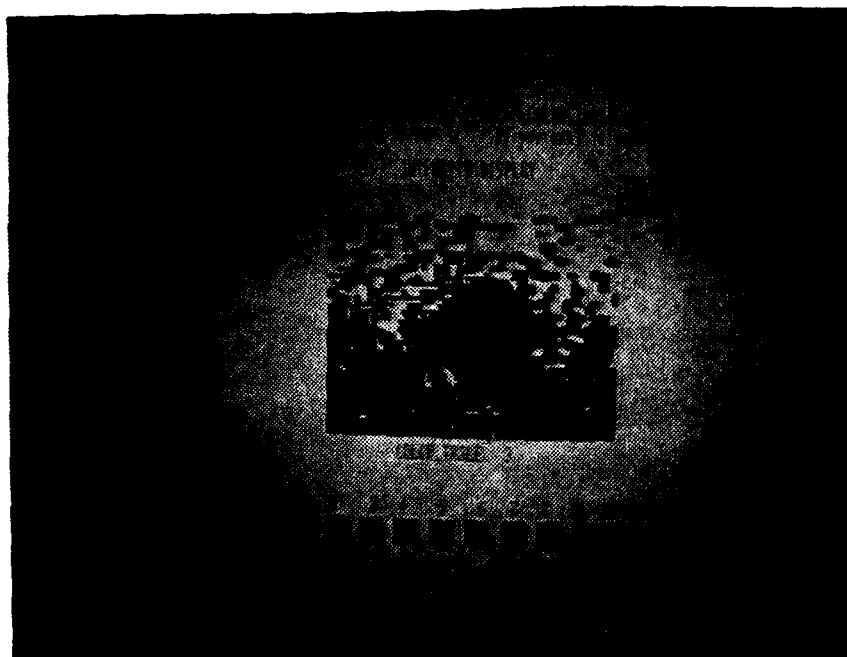


Figure 25.

Intensity Display - Reds Color Table

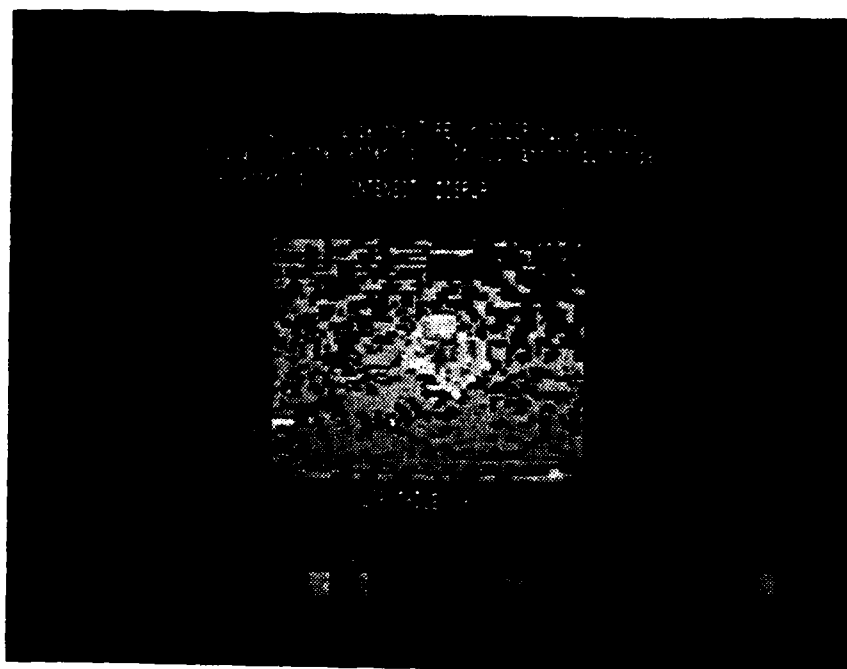


Figure 26.

Intensity Display - Mixed Colors

## CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Although the developed system is not an optimum system in speed or in size, it does allow 16-level color code displays of two dimensional data arrays to be visually displayed. The system described here was designed for part of an ultrasonic imaging system. However this display portion of the overall system could be used to display two dimensional data from any source. The one requirement is that the data be stored in alternating values on the data tape. It must be recognized that software modifications could be almost unlimited, in order to achieve many possible improvements.

Included here are a few recommendations that would definitely improve the efficiency of the current program. By reducing the time required to construct the image the processing capabilities of the system would be increased. First, allow the program itself to create the necessary data files, rather than the user being required to do so. Secondly, allow the user to generate color tables during program execution. This would allow for additional investigations to be conducted at the terminal by increasing the color selection to the maximum possible. Thirdly, it is recommended that future endeavours in this system utilize the magnetic tape capabilities of the PDP 11/50 computer.

That is the necessary data files and computer program should be kept stored on magnetic tape when not in use. This would reduce memory requirements when the program is not in use and allow for easier transportation of data.



# APPENDIX A RESERVED WORDS

a	einst	pause
ADOFF	epage1	pick
adon	epage2	plotot
ALPHA	epage3	plot1n
axis	erase	plotn
b	ERS	point
BKON	fixpt	pointr
BKOFF	flip	proc1
bkrnd	fname	proc2
blank	fp	proc3
BLK	FPOFF	proc4
block	fpon	proc5
bracket	getf	otrbuff
bt1	getnum	outup
bt2	GRAPHCRT	aptr
bt4	GRAPHHELM	aptr1
bt5	GRAPHVEC	at
buff	head	quest
bytenc	headptr	al
c	heat	ramtek
cft	holdx	RASTERD
change	holdy	retchar
clrhold	index	scissor
clrtbl	inotrs	SCR
code	instr	screen

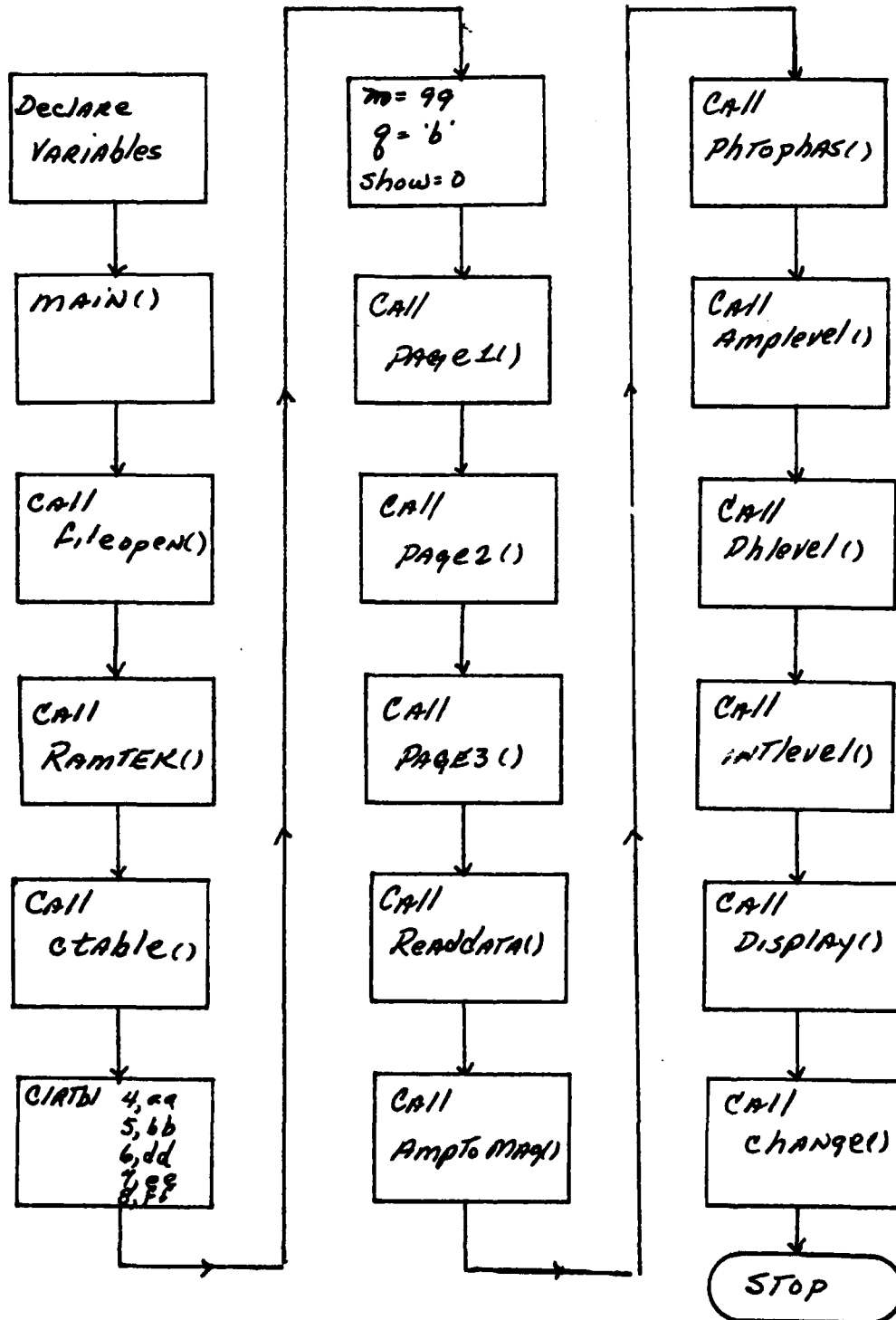
codeit	inst1-inst80	scroll
coke	inter	SDCO
color	int53	setmode
colort	int60	setup
colortbl	itoa	size
comb	IXOFF	skip
COMMA	TXON	SSCALL
COMPD	LCM	strout
conve	lcmhold	strtxy
convl	LER	systbl
copy	Lex	tblwho
CR	LE1	TRANSD
ct1	LE2	triple
ct2	LLR	upcnt
ct3	LLX	vector
ct4	LL1	wait
cursv	LL2	WDOFF
curso	LTA	WDON
cursh	LTD	writon
d	lctr	xaxis
data	LXD	xmin
datao	moreinst	xmax
dblwid	n0-n17	yaxis
disp	octbl	yaxisf
dump	out	ymin
		ymax

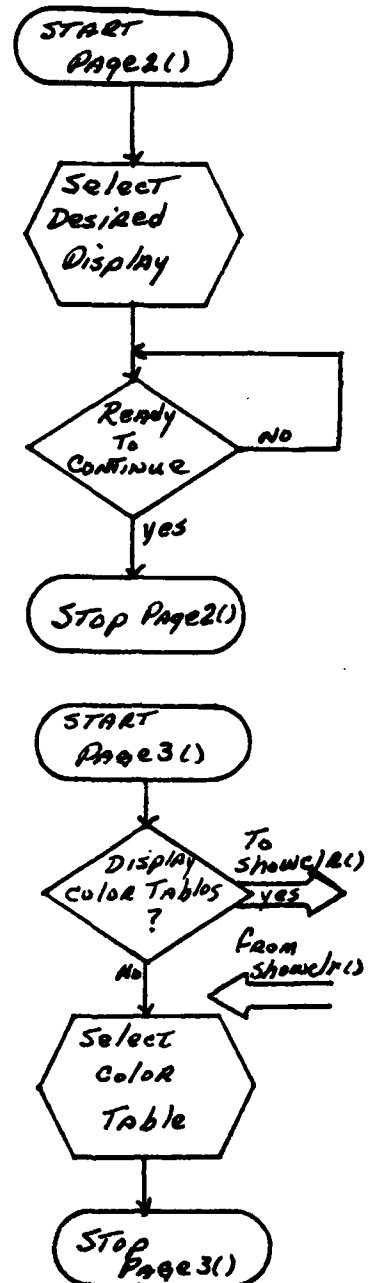
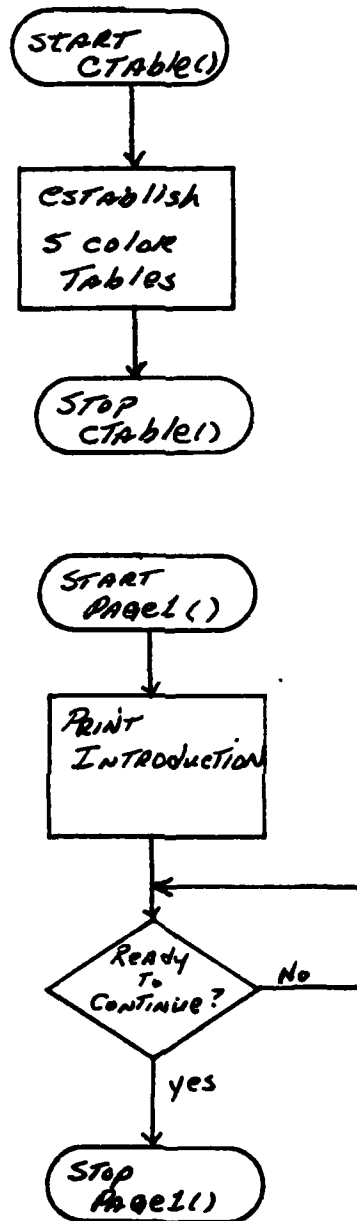
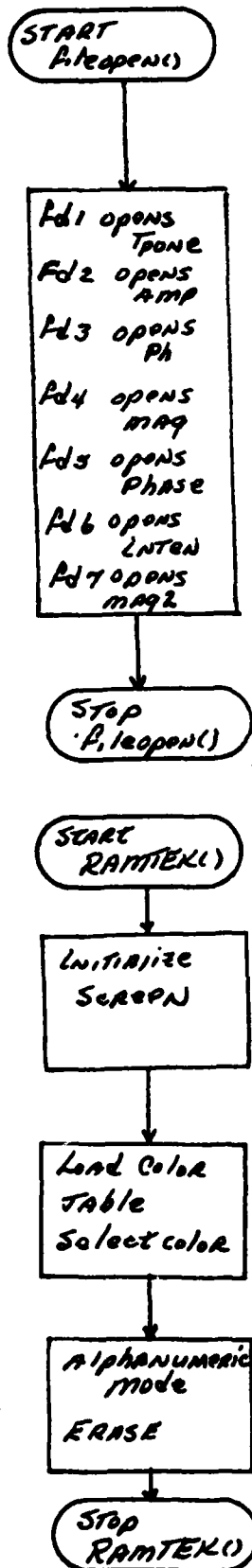
APPENDIX B  
C Language Reserved Words

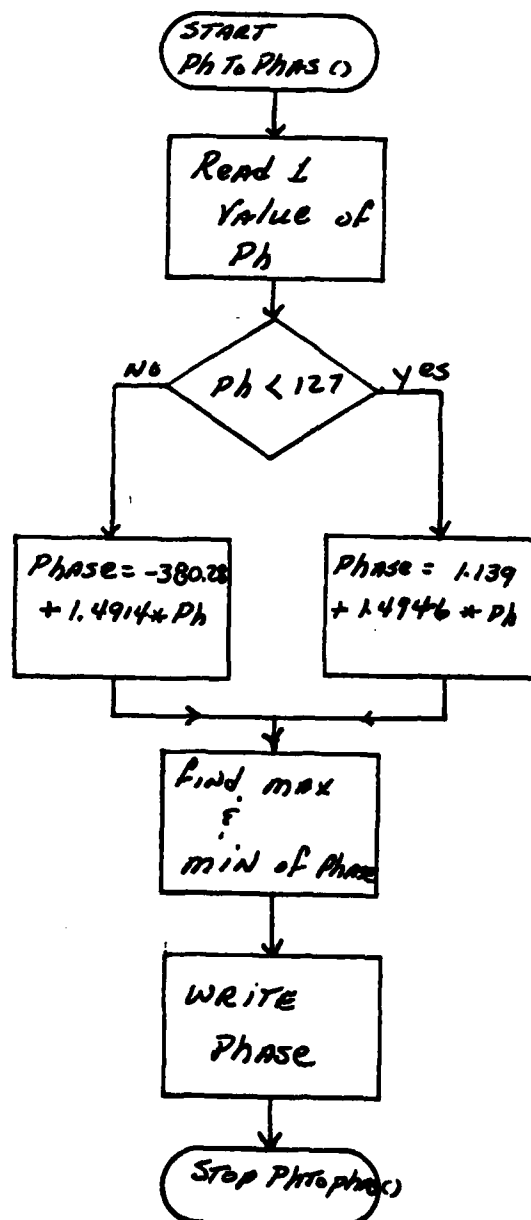
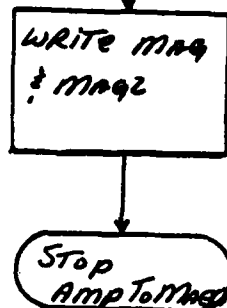
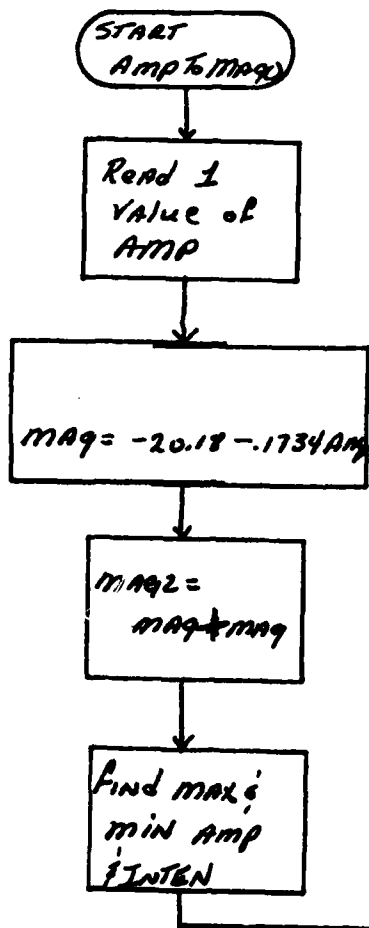
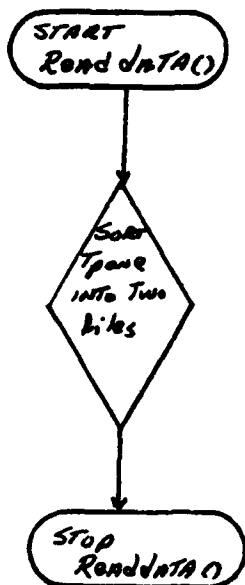
int	char	float
double	struct	auto
extern	register	static
goto	return	sizeof
break	continue	if
else	for	do
while	switch	case
default	entry	

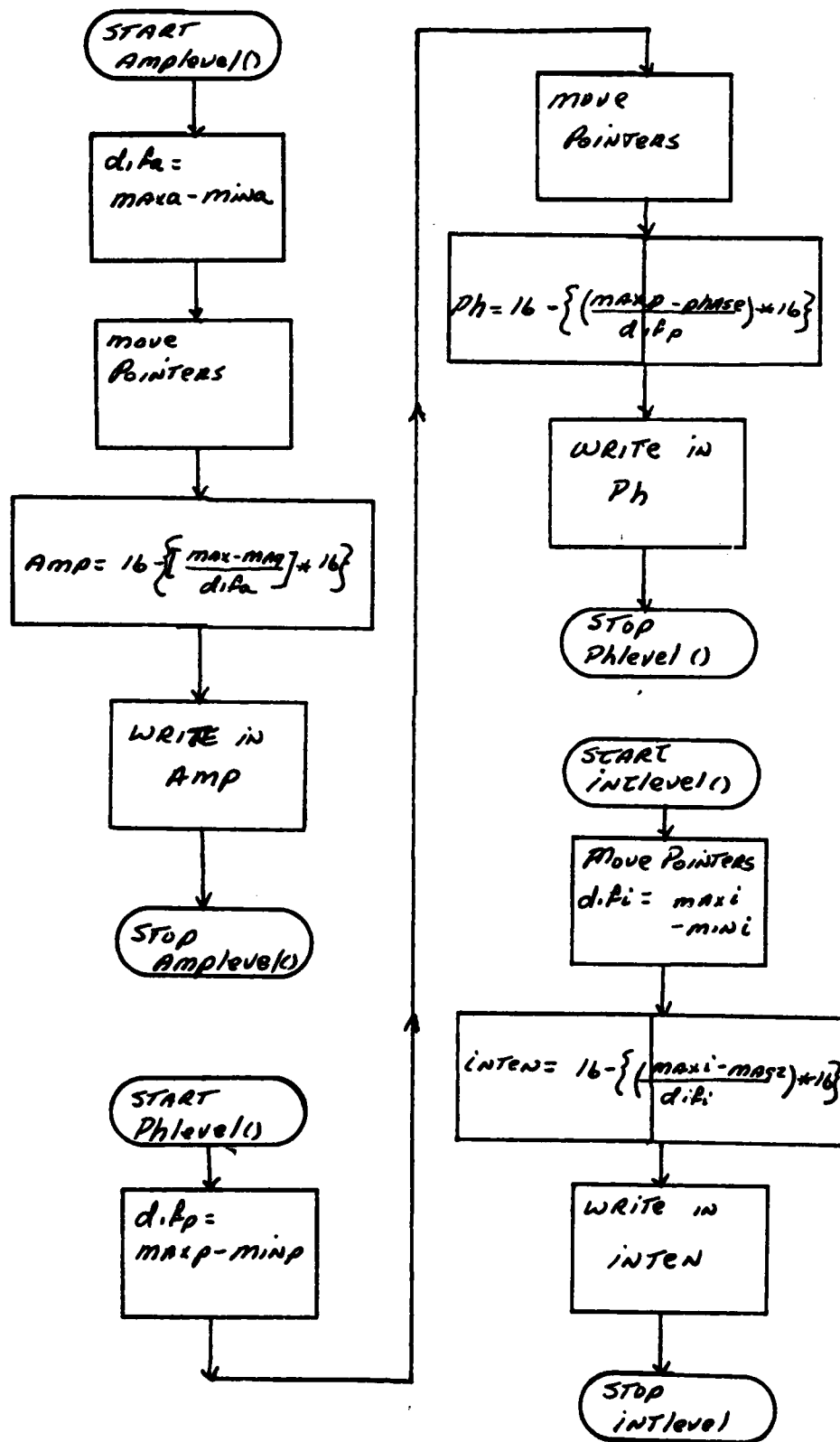
# APPENDIX C

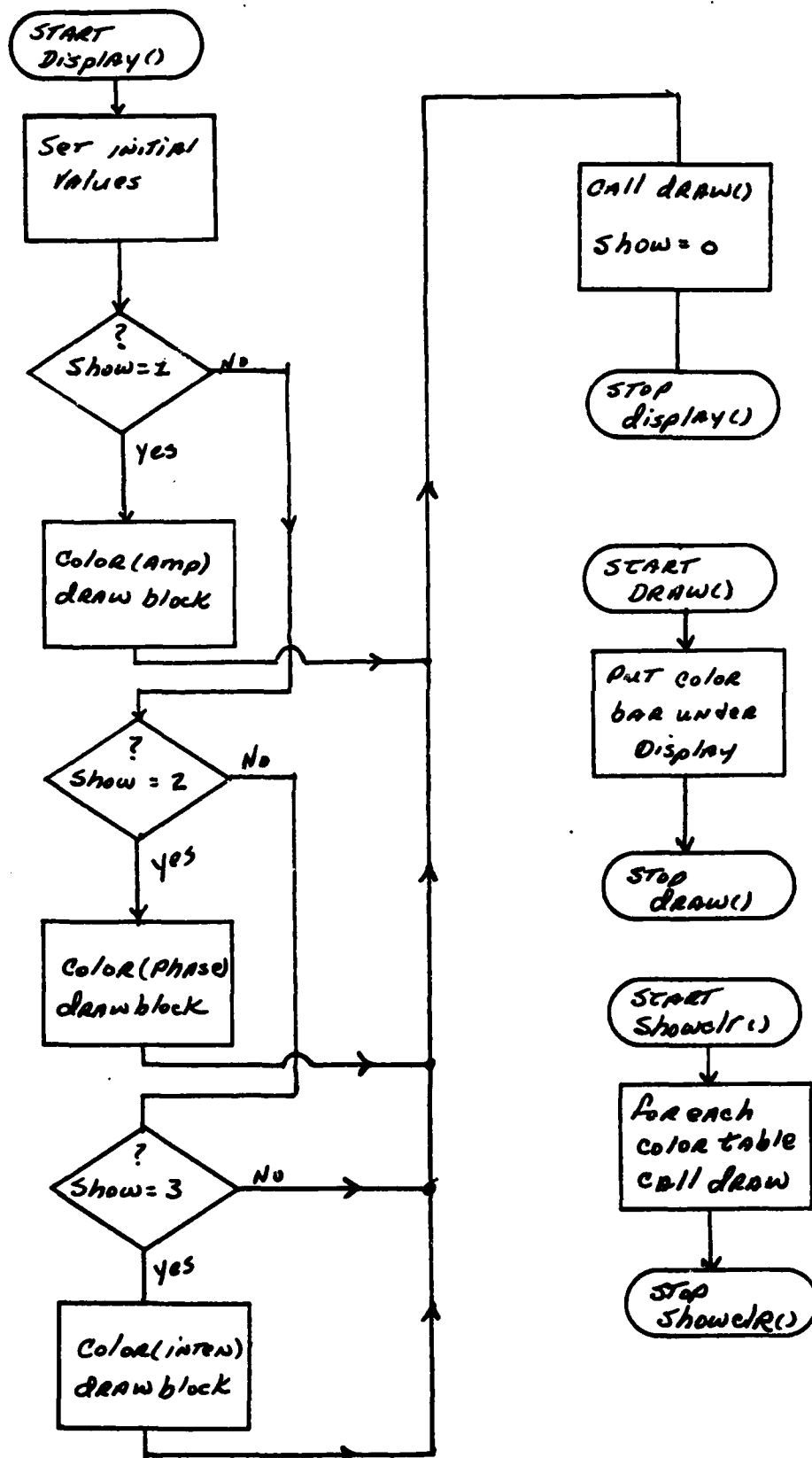
## Detailed Flow Chart



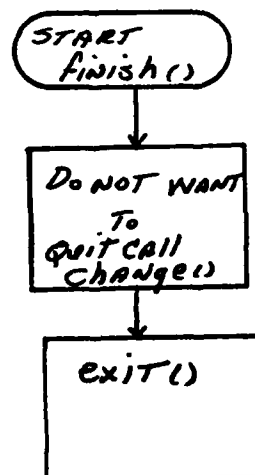
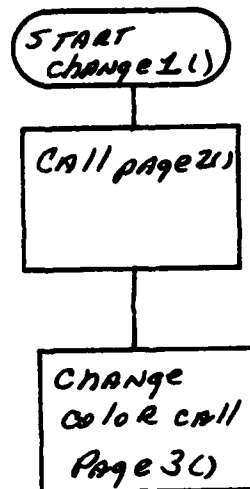
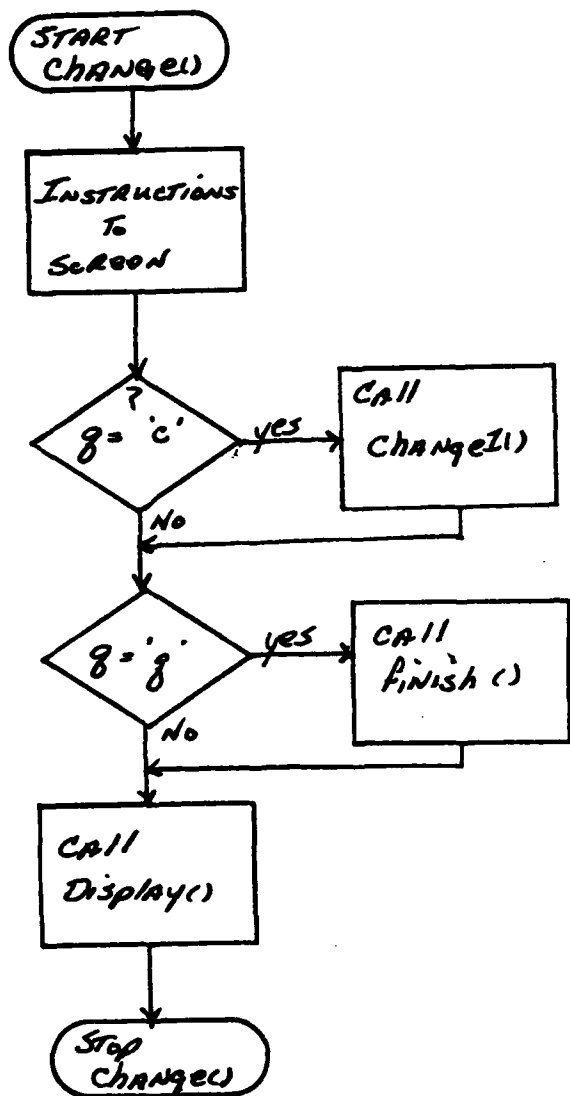












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1 /* Program for displaying data on the RAMTEK display unit */
2
3 /***** DECLARATIONS *****/
4
5 int amo, ph, inten, i, j, k, m, n, show, flag ;
6 int fd1, fd2, fd3, fd4, fd5, fd6, fd7 ;
7 int aa[16], bb[16], dd[16], ee[16], ff[16] ;
8 char cc[4], *pc, q, z ;
9 float maq, phase, x, y ;
10 float maxa, mina, maxp, minp, difa, difp ;
11 float maxi, mini, difi, maq2 ;
12
13 /***** MAIN PROGRAM ( calls most of the subroutines ) *****/
14
15 main ()
16 {
17     fileopen () ;
18     ramtek () ;
19     erase () ;
20     ctable () ;
21     oaqel () ;
22     oage2 () ;
23     oage3 () ;
24 /*
25     readdata () ;
26 */
27 /*
28     amotomag () ;
29 */
30 /*
31     phtophas () ;
32 */
33 /*
34     amplevel () ;
35 */
36 /*
37     ohlevel () ;
38 */
39 /*
40     intlevel () ;
41 */
42     display () ;
43 }
44
45 /***** OPENS ALL NECESSARY FILES *****/
46
47 fileopen ()
48 {
49     fd1 = open("tpone",0) ; /* OPEN INPUT FILE FOR READ ONLY */
50     if ( fd1 < 0 ) {
51         printf(" CANNOT OPEN DATA FILE \n" ) ;
52         printf(" PLEASE INSURE THAT TPONE IS IN LIBRARY \n" ) ;
53         exit () ;
54     }
55
56     fd2 = open("amp",2) ; /* OPEN AMP FILE FOR READ/WRITE */
57     if ( fd2 < 0 ) {
58         printf(" CANNOT OPEN AMP FILE \n" ) ;
59         printf(" PLEASE INSURE THAT AMP IS IN LIBRARY \n" ) ;
60         exit () ;

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61     }
62
63     fd3 = open("oh",2) ;          /* OPEN PH FILE FOR READ/WRITE */
64     if ( fd3 < 0 ) {
65         printf(" CANNOT OPEN PH FILE \n" ) ;
66         printf(" PLEASE INSURE THAT PH IS IN LIBRARY \n" ) ;
67         exit ( ) ;
68     }
69
70     fd4 = open("mag",2) ;          /* OPEN MAG FILE FOR READ/WRITE */
71     if ( fd4 < 0 ) {
72         printf(" CANNOT OPEN MAG FILE \n" ) ;
73         printf(" PLEASE INSURE THAT MAG IS IN LIBRARY \n" ) ;
74         exit ( ) ;
75     }
76
77     fd5 = open("phase",2) ;        /* OPEN PHASE FILE FOR READ/WRITE :
78     if ( fd5 < 0 ) {
79         printf(" CANNOT OPEN PHASE FILE \n" ) ;
80         printf(" PLEASE INSURE THAT PHASE IS IN LIBRARY \n" ) ;
81         exit ( ) ;
82     }
83
84     fd6 = open("inten",2) ;        /* OPEN INTENSITY FILE FOR READ/WR
85     if ( fd6 < 0 ) {
86         printf(" CANNOT OPEN INTENSITY FILE \n" ) ;
87         printf(" PLEASE SEE THAT INTENSITY IS IN LIBRARY \n" ) ;
88         exit ( ) ;
89     }
90
91     fd7 = open("mag2",2) ;          /* OPEN MAG SQUARED FILE */
92     if ( fd7 < 0 ) {
93         printf(" CANNOT OPEN MAG SQUARED FILE \n" ) ;
94         printf(" PLEASE CHECK LIBRARY FILES \n" ) ;
95         exit ( ) ;
96     }
97
98     return ;
99 }
100
101 /***** READ DATA FROM TPONE INTO EITHER AMP OR PH FILE *****/
102
103 readdata (
104 {
105     for ( i = 0; i < 4096; i++ ) {
106         for ( k = 0; k < 2; k++ ) {
107             pc = cc ;
108             do {
109                 read(fd1,pc,1) ;
110                 if ( *pc == '\n' ) pc = &cc[-1] ;
111             }
112             while ( *pc++ != ' ' ) ;
113             m = atoi (cc) ;
114             if ( k == 0 )
115                 write(fd2,&m,2) ;
116             else
117                 write(fd3,&m,2) ;
118         }
119     }
120     return ;

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121 }
122
123 /***** CONVERT INTEGER AMP VALUES INTO dB FLOATING POINT MAG VALUE
124
125 amotomag ( )
126 {
127     seek(fd2,0,0) ;          /* POINT TO BEGINNING OF AMP FILE */
128     seek(fd4,0,0) ;          /* POINT TO BEGINNING OF MAG FILE */
129     seek(fd7,0,0) ;          /* POINT TO BEGINNING OF MAG2 FILE */
130     maxa = -999.0 ;
131     mina = 999.0 ;
132     maxi = 000.0 ;
133     mini = 999.0 ;
134     for ( i = 0; i < 4096; i++ ) {
135         read(fd2,&amp;2) ;      /* READ 2 BYTES INTO AMP */
136         mag = -20.18 - .1734 * amp ;
137         mag2 = mag + mag ;
138         if ( maxa < mag ) maxa = mag ;
139         if ( mina > mag ) mina = mag ;
140         if ( maxi < mag2 ) maxi = mag2 ;
141         if ( mini > mag2 ) mini = mag2 ;
142         write(fd4,&mag,4) ;
143         write(fd7,&mag2,4) ;
144     }
145
146     return ;
147 }
148
149 /***** CONVERT INTEGER PH VALUES TO dB FLOATING POINT PHASE VALUES
150
151 phtophas ( )
152 {
153     seek(fd3,0,0) ;          /* POINT TO BEGINNING OF PH FILE */
154     seek(fd5,0,0) ;          /* POINT TO BEGINNING OF PHASE FILE */
155     maxp = -999.0 ;
156     minp = 999.0 ;
157     for ( i = 0; i < 4096; i++ ) {
158         read(fd3,&ph,2) ;     /* READ 2 BYTES OF PH */
159         if ( ph < 127 )
160             phase = 1.139 + 1.4946 * ph ;
161         else
162             phase = -380.28 + 1.4917 * ph ;
163         write(fd5,&phase,4) ; /* WRITE 4 BYTES INTO PHASE */
164         if ( maxp < phase ) maxp = phase ;
165         if ( minp > phase ) minp = phase ;
166     }
167     return ;
168 }
169
170 /***** CONVERT THE FLOATING POINT VALUES INTO INTEGER VALUES OF
171     BETWEEN 0 AND 15 ( for color table use )          ****
172
173 amplevel ( )
174 {
175     difa = maxa - mina ;
176     seek(fd2,0,0) ;
177     seek(fd4,0,0) ;
178     for ( i = 0; i < 4096; i++ ) {
179         read(fd4,&mag,4) ;
180         amp = 16 - ((( maxa - mag ) / difa ) * 16 ) ;

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181     write(fd2,&amp;2) ;
182 }
183 return ;
184 }
185
186 ohlevel ()
187 {
188     difo = maxo - mino ;
189     seek(fd3,0,0) ;
190     seek(fd5,0,0) ;
191     for ( i = 0; i < 4096; i++ ) (
192         read(fd5,&phase,4) ;
193         ph = 16 - ((( maxo - phase ) / difo ) * 16. ) ;
194         write(fd3,&ph,2) ;
195     )
196     return ;
197 }
198
199 intlevel ()
200 {
201     seek(fd6,0,0) ;
202     seek(fd7,0,0) ;
203     difi = maxi - mini ;
204     for ( i = 0; i < 4096; i++ ) {
205         read(fd7,&maq2,4) ;
206         inten = 16 - ((( maxi - maq2 ) / difi ) * 16 ) ;
207         write(fd6,&inten,2) ;
208     }
209     return ;
210 }
211
212 /***** DECLARATION OF VARIOUS POSSIBLE COLOR TABLES *****/
213
214 ctable ()
215 {
216
217     aa[0]=triple(15,15,15);
218     aa[1]=triple(15,15,10);
219     aa[2]=triple(15,15,05);
220     aa[3]=triple(15,15,00);
221     aa[4]=triple(15,10,15);
222     aa[5]=triple(15,05,15);
223     aa[6]=triple(15,00,15);
224     aa[7]=triple(15,10,10);
225     aa[8]=triple(15,10,05);
226     aa[9]=triple(15,10,00);
227     aa[10]=triple(15,05,10);
228     aa[11]=triple(15,05,05);
229     aa[12]=triple(15,05,00);
230     aa[13]=triple(10,10,10);
231     aa[14]=triple(10,10,05);
232     aa[15]=triple(05,05,05);
233
234     bb[0]=triple(00,00,00);    /* black */
235     bb[1]=triple(01,01,01);    /*      */
236     bb[2]=triple(02,02,02);    /*      */
237     bb[3]=triple(03,03,03);    /*      */
238     bb[4]=triple(04,04,04);    /*      */
239     bb[5]=triple(05,05,05);    /*      */
240     bb[6]=triple(06,06,06);    /*      */

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241  bb[7]=triple(07,07,07);  /*      */
242  bb[8]=triple(08,08,08);  /*      */
243  bb[9]=triple(09,09,09);  /*      */
244  bb[10]=triple(10,10,10); /*      */
245  bb[11]=triple(11,11,11); /*      */
246  bb[12]=triple(12,12,12); /*      */
247  bb[13]=triple(13,13,13); /*      */
248  bb[14]=triple(14,14,14); /*      */
249  bb[15]=triple(15,15,15); /* white */
250
251  dd[0]=triple(00,00,00);  /* black */
252  dd[1]=triple(15,00,08);  /* violet */
253  dd[2]=triple(04,00,12);  /* purple */
254  dd[3]=triple(15,00,15);  /* magenta */
255  dd[4]=triple(17,04,15);  /* puce */
256  dd[5]=triple(08,08,15);  /* pink */
257  dd[6]=triple(00,00,15);  /* red */
258  dd[7]=triple(00,12,15);  /* orange */
259  dd[8]=triple(00,15,15);  /* yellow */
260  dd[9]=triple(00,15,08);  /* yellow - green */
261  dd[10]=triple(00,15,00); /* green */
262  dd[11]=triple(15,08,00); /* green - blue */
263  dd[12]=triple(08,15,00); /* blue - green */
264  dd[13]=triple(15,15,00); /* cyan */
265  dd[14]=triple(15,00,00); /* blue */
266  dd[15]=triple(15,15,15); /* white */
267
268  ee[0]=triple(00,00,00);  /* black */
269  ee[1]=triple(00,00,05);  /* */
270  ee[2]=triple(00,00,10);  /* */
271  ee[3]=triple(00,00,15);  /* red */
272  ee[4]=triple(00,05,00);  /* */
273  ee[5]=triple(00,05,05);  /* */
274  ee[6]=triple(00,05,10);  /* */
275  ee[7]=triple(00,05,15);  /* */
276  ee[8]=triple(00,10,00);  /* */
277  ee[9]=triple(00,10,05);  /* */
278  ee[10]=triple(00,10,10); /* */
279  ee[11]=triple(00,10,15); /* */
280  ee[12]=triple(00,15,00); /* green */
281  ee[13]=triple(00,15,05); /* */
282  ee[14]=triple(00,15,10); /* */
283  ee[15]=triple(00,15,15); /* yellow */
284
285  ff[0]=triple(15,00,00);  /* blue */
286  ff[1]=triple(15,00,05);  /* */
287  ff[2]=triple(15,00,10);  /* */
288  ff[3]=triple(15,00,15);  /* magenta */
289  ff[4]=triple(15,05,00);  /* */
290  ff[5]=triple(15,05,05);  /* */
291  ff[6]=triple(15,05,10);  /* */
292  ff[7]=triple(15,05,15);  /* */
293  ff[8]=triple(15,10,00);  /* */
294  ff[9]=triple(15,10,05);  /* */
295  ff[10]=triple(15,10,10); /* */
296  ff[11]=triple(15,10,15); /* */
297  ff[12]=triple(15,15,00); /* cyan */
298  ff[13]=triple(15,15,05); /* */
299  ff[14]=triple(15,15,10); /* */
300  ff[15]=triple(15,15,15); /* white */

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301
302     clrthl (4,aa) ;
303     clrthl (5,bb) ;
304     clrthl (6,dd) ;
305     clrthl (7,ee) ;
306     clrthl (8,ff) ;
307
308     return ;
309
310 }
311
312 /***** ROUTINE FOR DISPLAY PORTION OF PROGRAM *****/
313
314 display ()
315 {
316     flag = 0 ;
317     erase () ;
318     screen (0.0, 0.0, 100.0, 110.0 ) ;
319     colort(n) ;
320     color(15) ;
321     x = 30.0 ; y = 69.375 ;
322
323 /***** AMPLITUDE DISPLAY ROUTINE *****/
324
325     if ( show == 1 ) {
326         strtxy(40.,80.) ;
327         strout ("AMPLITUDE DISPLAY") ;
328         strtxy(x,y) ;
329         seek(fd2,0,0) ;
330
331         for ( i = 0; i < 64; i++ ) {
332             y = 69.375 - ( i * .625 ) ;
333             for ( j = 0; j < 64; j++ ) {
334                 x = 30. + ( .625 * j ) ;
335                 read(fd2,&amo,2) ;
336                 color(amo) ;
337                 block( x, y, x+.625, y+.625 ) ;
338             }
339             y = y - .625 ;
340             for ( j = 0; j < 64; j++ ) {
341                 x = 69.375 - ( .625 * j ) ;
342                 read(fd2,&amo,2) ;
343                 color(amo) ;
344                 block( x, y, x+.625, y+.625 ) ;
345             }
346         }
347     }
348     draw (n) ;
349     show = 0 ;
350     change () ;
351     return ;
352 }
353
354 /***** ROUTINE FOR PHASE DISPLAY PORTION OF PROGRAM *****/
355
356     else
357     if ( show == 2 ) {
358         strtxy(40.,80.) ;
359         strout("PHASE DISPLAY") ;
360         strtxy(x,y) ;

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361     seek(fd3,0,0) ;
362     for ( i = 0; i < 64; i++ ) {
363         y = 69.375 - ( i * .625 ) ;
364         for ( j = 0; j < 64; j++ ) {
365             x = 30. + ( .625 * j ) ;
366             read(fd3,&ph,2) ;
367             color(ph) ;
368             block( x, y, x+.625, y+.625 ) ;
369         }
370         i++ ;
371         y = y - .625 ;
372         for ( j = 0; j < 64; j++ ) {
373             x = 69.375 - ( .625 * j ) ;
374             read(fd3,&ph,2) ;
375             color(ph) ;
376             block( x, y, x+.625, y+.625 ) ;
377         }
378     }
379     draw (n) ;
380     show = 0 ;
381     change ( ) ;
382     return ;
383 }
384
385 /***** ROUTINE FOR INTENSITY DISPLAY *****/
386
387     else
388     if ( show == 3 ) {
389         strtxy(40.,80.) ;
390         strout ("INTENSITY DISPLAY") ;
391         strtxy(x,y) ;
392         seek(fd6,0,0) ;
393         for ( i = 0; i < 64; i++ ) {
394             y = 69.375 - ( i * .625 ) ;
395             for ( j = 0; j < 64; j++ ) {
396                 x = 30. + ( .625 * j ) ;
397                 read(fd6,&inten,2) ;
398                 color(inten) ;
399                 block( x, y, x+.625, y+.625 ) ;
400             }
401             i++ ;
402             y = y - .625 ;
403             for ( j = 0; j < 64; j++ ) {
404                 x = 69.375 - ( .625 * j ) ;
405                 read(fd6,&inten,2) ;
406                 color(inten) ;
407                 block( x, y, x+.625, y+.625 ) ;
408             }
409         }
410         draw (n) ;
411         show = 0 ;
412         change ( ) ;
413         return ;
414     }
415     return ;
416 }
417
418 /***** PROGRAM TO DRAW AND LABEL COLOR LEVELS *****/
419
420 draw (p)

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421 int p ;
422 {
423     if ( flag == 1 ) erase () ;
424     colort(p) ;
425     color(15) ;
426     strtxy(9.,18.) ;
427     strout("LEVEL      0      1      2      3      4      5      6      7      8      9
428     strtxy(20.,10.) ;
429     y = 10. ;
430     for ( j = 0; j < 16; j++ ) {
431         x = 20. + ( 5. * j ) ;
432         color(j) ;
433         block(x,y,x+3.,y+4.) ;
434         strtxy (40.,28.) ;
435         strout ("COLOR TABLE ");
436         z = p + 060 ;
437         strtxy (55.,28.) ;
438         out (z) ;
439     }
440     return ;
441 }
442
443 /***** INSTRUCTIONS AND INTRODUCTION *****/
444
445 page1 ()
446 {
447     strtxy (40.,90.) ;
448     strout ("16 - LEVEL COLOR DISPLAY") ;
449     strtxy (23.,80.) ;
450     strout ("This program is designed to display a data field with
451     strtxy (23.,76.) ;
452     strout ("a selected 16 level color table.  The program will ")
453     strtxy (23.,72.) ;
454     strout ("convert a data matrix named TPONE from ASCII to") ;
455     strtxy (23.,68.) ;
456     strout ("a 64 x 64 integer array and then display the") ;
457     strtxy (23.,64.) ;
458     strout ("magnitude, phase, or intensity plot as selected") ;
459     strtxy (23.,40.) ;
460     strout ("When ready to continue type the letter 'c' ") ;
461     while ( a != 'c' )
462         a = getch () ;
463     a = 'b' ;
464     erase () ;
465     return ;
466 }
467
468 page2 ()
469 {
470     show = 0 ;
471     a = 'b' ;
472     strtxy (20.,80.) ;
473     strout ("You will now input your selection for the TYPE of");
474     strtxy (20.,76.) ;
475     strout ("display you wish to see.  Type the number '1' ") ;
476     strtxy (20.,72.) ;
477     strout ("if you want to see the MAGNITUDE plot, type the") ;
478     strtxy (20.,68.) ;
479     strout ("number '2' if you want to see the PHASE plot") ;
480     strtxy (20.,64.) ;

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481 strout ("or type the number '3' if you wish to see the") ;
482 strtxy (20.,60.) ;
483 strout ("INTENSITY plot. Followed by a CR. ") ;
484 strtxy (20.,50.) ;
485 strout (" 1 - MAGNITUDE ") ;
486 strtxy (20.,46.) ;
487 strout (" 2 - PHASE ") ;
488 strtxy (20.,42.) ;
489 strout (" 3 - INTENSITY ") ;
490 while ( show == 0 )
491     show = getnum (10) ;
492 strtxy (20.,30.) ;
493 strout ("When ready to continue type the letter 'c' ") ;
494 while ( a != 'c' )
495     a = getch () ;
496 a = 'b' ;
497 erase () ;
498 return ;
499 }
500
501 page3 ()
502 {
503     a = 'b' ;
504     n = 99 ;
505     strtxy (20.,80.) ;
506     strout ("If you desire to see the color tables that") ;
507     strtxy (20.,76.) ;
508     strout ("are loaded in this program that you may choose") ;
509     strtxy (20.,72.) ;
510     strout ("from for displaying the data type the letter 'y'") ;
511     strtxy (20.,68.) ;
512     strout(" If you already know what color") ;
513     strtxy (20.,64.) ;
514     strout ("table you wish to use or if you do not desire to see") ;
515     strtxy (20.,60.) ;
516     strout ("the color tables, type the letter 'n' ") ;
517     while ( a == 'b' )
518         a = getch () ;
519     if ( a == 'y' ) showcir () ;
520     erase () ;
521     colort (0) ;
522     color (15) ;
523     strtxy (20.,50.) ;
524     strout ("Select the color table you wish to use ") ;
525     strtxy (20.,46.) ;
526     strout (" 0 - Greys          1 - Blues") ;
527     strtxy (20.,42.) ;
528     strout (" 2 - Greens          3 - Reds") ;
529     strtxy (20.,38.) ;
530     strout (" 4 - Mixed          5 - Mixed") ;
531     strtxy (20.,34.) ;
532     strout (" 6 - Mixed          7 - Mixed") ;
533     strtxy (20.,30.) ;
534     strout (" 8 - Mixed Followed by a CR ") ;
535     while ( n == 99 )
536         n = getnum (10) ;
537     a = 'b' ;
538     erase () ;
539     return ;
540 }

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541
542 /***** PROGRAM TO DISPLAY COLOR TABLES *****/
543
544 showc1r ()
545 {
546     flag = 1 ;
547     erase () ;
548     for ( i = 0; i < 9; i++ ) {
549         a = 'b' ;
550         draw (i) ;
551         setmode (0,0) ;
552         strtxy (50.,50.) ;
553         strout (" Next color table ? y = yes ; n = no ") ;
554         while ( a == 'b' )
555             a = rctchar () ;
556         if ( a == 'n' ) i = 10 ;
557         else continue ;
558     }
559     colort (0) ;
560     color (15) ;
561     erase () ;
562     return ;
563 }
564
565 /***** ROUTINE TO CHANGE THE TYPE OR COLOR OF THE DISPLAY *****/
566
567 change ()
568 {
569
570     a = 'b' ;
571     strtxy (20.,90.) ;
572     strout ("If you want to change the TYPE or COLOR table of the")
573     strtxy (20.,86.) ;
574     strout ("display type the letter 'c'. If you want to quit type")
575     strtxy (20.,82.) ;
576     strout ("the letter 'a'.") ;
577     while ( a == 'b' )
578         a = rctchar () ;
579     if ( a == 'a' )
580         finish () ;
581     else
582     {
583         erase () ;
584         oace2 () ;
585         a = 'b' ;
586         strtxy (20.,80.) ;
587         strout ("If you want to change the color table selected tyo")
588         while ( a == 'b' )
589             a = rctchar () ;
590         if ( a == 'y' ) {
591             erase () ;
592             oace3 () ;
593         }
594     }
595     display () ;
596     return ;
597 }
598
599 finish ()
600 {

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601     q = 'b' ;
602     colort (0) ;
603     color (15) ;
604     erase () ;
605     strtxy (20.,80.) ;
606     strout ("You have indicated that you wish to terminate this se
607     strtxy (20.,76.) ;
608     strout ("if you do wish to stop type a capital 'S' . Otherwis
609     strtxy (20.,72.) ;
610     strout ("type a 'c' and you can continue.");
611     while ( q == 'b' )
612         q = rchar () ;
613     if ( q == 'S' )
614         exit () ;
615     else
616     {
617         erase() ;
618         change () ;
619     }
620 }
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